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Alger Hiss Is Indicted for Perjury

Cherner And Auto Inquiry Lawyer Clash At Hearing

D. C. Dealer Denies Withholding Facts On Used Car Trade From Committee

(Pictures on Page 2)

By Edward F. Ryan
Post Reporter

Joseph Cherner tangled sharply with the Macy Subcommittee yesterday through a 5-hour hearing on operations of his two auto firms, his bank, and his insurance sales.

Cherner heads the Cherner Motor Co., Ford agency, of 1781 Florida ave. nw., the Shirlington Motor Co., Lincoln and Mercury agency of Fairlington, Arlington, Va., and the Shirlington Trust Co., also in the Fairlington area.

In one of his five trips to the witness stand, Cherner angrily said "I spend too much time to build up a business—I don't want to be ruined by the committee."

Customers Differ

His outburst led to a sharp exchange with Subcommittee Counsel John T. M. Reddan, in which the latter charged that Cherner had been asked for details on what sums were spent to recondition used cars, and that the information had not been given.

"Anything you asked for, we gave it," retorted Cherner.

Cherner's appearances were sandwiched between those of a score of customers of his two auto firms, some satisfied, some dissatisfied.

Between Cherner and the subcommittee these main points of controversy developed:

1. Reddan cited figures to show big profits made on cars traded into the Cherner-operated firms by witnesses. Cherner defended his used-car operations as having averaged a three-per-cent net profit.

2. Reddan suggested that Cherner's handling customers' deposits failed to satisfy a paragraph printed on order blanks which agreed the money would be held in trust. Cherner said that in 1945 his firm had stipulated with the Ford Motor Co. that $75,000 would be held on deposit in Washington area building and loan accounts to be security for customers' deposits. Arthur Perlman, subcommittee investigator, said he had examined the accounts, found the total was $75,000, and that they had paid $13,024.29 in dividends since 1942.

3. Cherner said his firm handled both auto insurance and financed cars both through the Shirlington Trust Co., and through other finance companies. He said the best deals go to the Shirlington Trust Co. Reddan asked if customers were free to finance and insure their cars where they wished. Cherner said they were free to do so, and that there was no coercion but added that "we

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France Starts Up Its First Atomic Pile

Paris, Dec. 15 (NYHT).—The British-American monopoly on atomic energy came to an end at 12:12 this afternoon, when a chain-reacting uranium pile went into operation near Paris.

So far as is known, this is the first nuclear furnace created outside the American-English-Canadian combination. The French pile is added to several in the United States, two in Canada and one in England.

The announcement was made in a telegram to Premier Henri Queuille signed by Dr. Frederic Joliot-Curie, Communist high commissioner of the French atomic energy effort. It is known that it produces just enough power to keep itself going, and no more. It makes no significant amount of plutonium, used in atom bombs.

The French pile uses heavy water instead of graphite.

British Carrier Feared Damaged

London, (Thursday) Dec. 16 (AP).—The Admiralty said today the new 10,000-ton light fleet airplane carrier, Terrible, destined for the Australian Navy, will be examined to find out whether her machinery has been damaged.

Loose bolts discovered in the gearbox of the main engine prompted the investigation.

The carrier is to be handed over to the Australian High Commissioner today. The carrier will be renamed the Sydney.

"It is not considered that any interference will be caused to the ship's program," said the Admiralty statement.

Metals Charge By ECA Made Without Proof

By Ferdinand Kuhn, Jr.
Post Reporter

The Economic Cooperation Administration has "absolutely no proof" that metals bought with Marshall Plan dollars are recrossing the Atlantic as scrap, Deputy Administrator Howard Bruce said yesterday.

On Tuesday Bruce had issued a statement threatening to cut future allocations of metals if "this reexport" were not "explained or brought into complete control," and had named Britain, Belgium and the Netherlands as the offenders.

Yesterday, however, Bruce told a press conference he had no proof that the same metals paid for by ECA were being sold as scrap to American businessmen. He said the absence of proof made no difference, since the imports of metal scrap from Marshall Plan countries were beginning to look "rather impressive" and "formidable."

He argued that ECA was simply suggesting to the Europeans, "If you have so much scrap to send back to the United States, then maybe you don't need so much virgin metal."

"I'm looking for facts," he said, "and if it looks as if this return flow is caused by our sending too

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Jury Acquits N. C. Farmer In Rape Case

Complainant and Her Husband Get News With Unbelief, Shock

By Jean Reiff and Joseph Paull
Post Reporters

Elvid H. Perrell, 26, was found innocent late yesterday in District Court of a charge of raping the 31-year-old wife of a Park Policeman.

When the jury of 11 men and one woman returned its verdict after almost four hours' deliberation, the slender, fair-haired defendant wept.

He embraced his pretty wife and their two tow-headed infants. Cries of joy and relief swept the courtroom as his family and friends from his North Carolina farm country offered congratulations.

At their home at 3212 Brothers pl. se., the complainant, Mrs. Louise C. Johnson, and her husband, Paul W. Johnson, who were not present in court when the trial closed, received the news of the acquittal with unbelief and shock.

Nothing But Grief

"I'm sorry I ever reported the matter to police. What good did it do? The publicity has brought me nothing but grief and I am paying for someone else's crime," Mrs. Johnson, petite and blonde, declared.

Her husband said he asked immediately for several days' leave from his job after hearing about the verdict.

"I've got to think over whether I want to go on being a policeman. What is the use of arresting the guilty if they are not convicted for their crimes?" he asked.

"I suppose I should go looking for the man, but they've no doubt spirited him out of town," he added.

Speedy Departure

Defense Attorney Charles E. Ford disclosed after the trial Perrell would leave the city speedily.

Perrell never took the witness stand, but his attorneys conceded that he had intercourse with attractive Mrs. Johnson.

The case apparently resolved itself around the following question:

"Was the duress allegedly used by Perrell legally sufficient to

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Chiang Urged By Friends To Step Aside

Generalissimo Asked To Allow Others To Negotiate With Reds for Peace

Nanking, Dec. 15 (AP).—President Chiang Kai-shek's closest friends asked him today to quit and let others try to negotiate peace with China's Communists, it was learned reliably.

The suggestion that China's veteran leader step down—at least temporarily — came as separate peace talks were reported in north China, where Peiping is in peril of falling to the Reds.

The capture or surrender of Peiping appeared imminent.

The Associated Press correspondent at Peiping said that Chinese Communists were within artillery range of Peiping, but made no attempt to shell the city. He cited what he called "strange developments and talk of negotiations with the Communists." He said there was a report the Nationalists had lost control of Tangku either through defection or abandonment. Tangku, seaport of Tientsin, 30 miles east, is the only supply port open to government forced in North China.

[The United Press reported that the government was insisting that evacuation of Peiping's outer defenses was a "strategic move." But other reports said the commander had either been outmanuvered or was arranging "a deal."]

The situation on both the north China and Nanking fronts was desperate. Apparently the men who have stood by Chiang for two decades decided the hour calls for desperate measures.

Chiang Studying Suggestion

Chiang was said to be studying the suggestion. He gave no sign that he will yield control of the China for which he has fought—through many a dark year—against Japanese and Communists alike.

Chinese sources said Chiang's decision probably would be affected by the results of Madame Chiang's quest in Washington for more United States aid and by the battles now raging north of Nanking.

(In Washington the State Department indicated that Madame Chiang's mission had been unsuccessful.)

Gen Li Tsung-jen, who earlier this year was elected Vice President despite Chiang's opposition, was represented as ready to take over the faltering government as President if guaranteed full powers.

Li, an able general who backed United States arguments for a smaller, more efficient Chinese army, often has been rumored to be conducting peace negotiations wth the Reds. He has denied the rumors in the past.

Military Crisis Outlined

The military crisis which nerved Chiang's friends to face him with the proposal to quit could be summarized thus:

On the Nanking front:

Government sources admitted Communists "in considerable strength" have infiltrated south of the Hwai River line, which is 100 miles northwest of Nanking. The line is the last hope for a defense of Nanking short of a stand on the Yangtze.

The encircled East China armies are being compressed in two Red traps north of the Hwai. Air drops which are keeping them supplied get harder daily as the traps shrink in size.

The government asserted the most southerly of these forces, the Twelfth Army Group, was but 3 miles from a junction with re-

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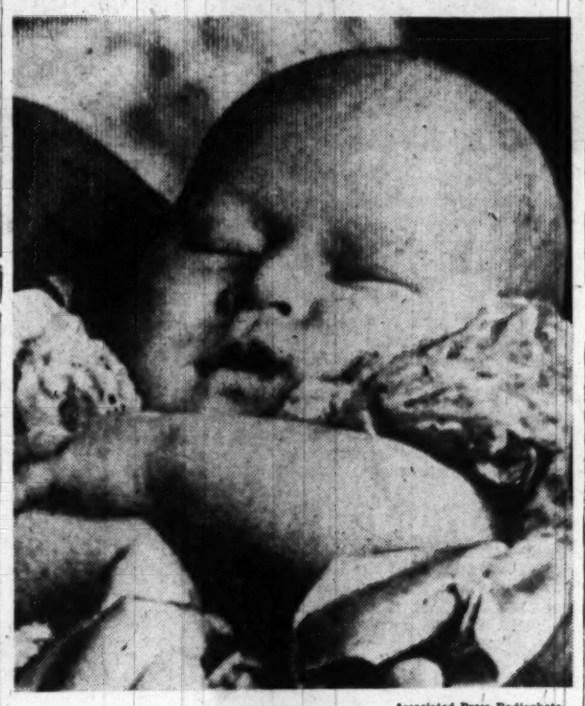
Britain's New Prince . . .



Associated Press Radiophoto

MAY SOME DAY BE KING—Christened Prince Charles Philip Arthur George of Edinburgh, the infant son of Princess Elizabeth and Prince Philip took the whole ceremony in Buckingham Palace yesterday like a little man, according to dispatches. To most Britons this royal baby, who may some day be King of England, is already "Prince Charlie." (Story and other picture on Page 10)

Fliers to Try To Snatch 9 Off Ice-Cap

Airmen Will Attempt Again to Pick Up Gliders by Cable

Westover Air Force Base, Mass., Dec. 15 (AP).—The Air Force today launched another perilous hitch-hike rescue try with gliders which they hope will snatch nine stranded airmen from a Greenland icecap. A similar tricky pickup saved six others down in Yukon Territory.

Two transports towing red-tailed gliders took off on the first leg of the new rescue mission. Thursday the transports will attempt again the low-flying maneuver which Tuesday lifted a glider with six survivors from a frozen river in the Canadian Arctic wastes.

Pilot Lieut. Col. Eugene Strouse of Topeka, Kans., called the Yukon rescue "extremely hazardous" and said he had to fly only 10 feet above the ice to snap the glider aloft.

The frozen wastes of the Greenland icecap perch have already cracked up one rescue attempt by a B-17 bomber and added its two fliers to the seven C-47 crewmen who crashlanded there last Friday.

Supplies have been dropped, including small heating units. Temperatures were reported at zero.

Rescue directors explained that the gliders will be released from a C-54 and a C-82 to make the quick, short landing, the only type possible in that ice-locked trap.

Once the survivors are aboard the gliders, they said, the tow cables of the gliders will be stretched across uprights like the top bar of a goal post.

Then the C-54 and the C-82, equipped with a long cable with a hook at the end, will fly low over the uprights to hook the glider cables and whip the gliders aloft.

Department Store Union Told to Quit

CIO, Dissatisfied, Also Moves for New Government Unit

By The Associated Press

The CIO yesterday in effect wiped out Samuel Wolchok's union of store workers and also moved toward a new organization of Government and white collar workers.

CIO President Philip Murray, announcing the action, severely criticized the organizing results achieved by the Retail, Wholesale and Department Store Union, headed by Wolchok, and gave its field to the Amalgamated Clothing Workers.

The announcement followed a meeting here of the nine CIO vice presidents with Murray.

In addition to the action against Wolchok and his union, the vice presidents voted to work out a program for organizing Government and white-collar workers. This plan will be submitted to the 51-member executive board at its meeting here January 26.

This field now is controlled by the United Public Workers and the United Office and Professional Workers, the leadership of which is classed as left wing by most of the CIO.

The Public Workers union is headed by Abram Flaxer and the Office and Professional Workers are led by James Durkan of New York City.

The action in Wolchok's field was the second such house-cleaning by Murray since the recent Portland, Oreg., convention. Earlier Murray had instructed the Farm Equipment and Metal Workers to affiliate with the United Auto Workers within 60 days.

However, the Farm Equipment Workers have refused to concur in Murray's action immediately

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Blade Open in His Pocket

Penknife Found on Slain Man Debated as New Trial Basis

By Murrey Marder
Post Reporter

A small penknife, found in the pocket of a District man shot to death, yesterday held the attention of the Supreme Court justices as they debated whether it should be the basis for a retrial of a murder case.

Before the high court, in arguments to continue today, is an appeal for a new trial on grounds of newly-discovered evidence in the murder of Lee Hunter, 23, slain here in February, 1947 by Baxter Griffin, 42, in an argument growing out of a card game.

The knife, with the blade open, was found in Hunter's pocket at the District Morgue. Hunter's hand was in that pocket and some playing cards. The knife was not introduced in evidence at Griffin's trial. The prosecutor said later that Griffin did not know it existed and that it was immaterial to the case.

About five inches long with the blade open, the knife was passed among the Supreme Court justices yesterday. Justice Jackson clasped it in his hand, and both knife and blade were almost completely obscured. Holding it aloft, he declared:

"Do you call this a deadly weapon? . . . If that's a deadly weapon then I'm guilty of carrying a concealed deadly weapon."

Francis J. Kelly, attorney for Griffin, replied that even knives that small are held to be "deadly weapons" in "cutting" cases here.

The District Court and the United States Court of Appeals here made a "false deduction," he declared, in denying a motion for a new trial when they reasoned that because Hunter was not clasping the knife an hour after the shooting he had not grasped it during the shooting.

They failed to consider, said Kelly, "the convulsive effect of a gunshot wound," which could have drawn Hunter's hand away from the knife.

Kelly said the United States attorney's office was wrong in withholding from evidence at the trial the fact that the knife and playing cards were found in Hunter's pocket. He said this evidence could reduce the "degree of culpability" of Griffin, who pleaded self-defense and was convicted of first-degree murder.

Justice Reed asked Kelly if he believed all evidence must be submitted in a case. Kelly said he did, and said the judge should decide if it is relevant.

Said Justice Black, "What do you say about what this court has held

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Appeal to Congress

Firemen to Join Other D. C. Workers in $650 Pay Rise Plea

Local firemen will join with policemen, school teachers and other District employes in asking the Eighty-first Congress for a blanket wage increase of $650 a year.

This was decided last night at a meeting of Local 36, International Association of Fire Fighters (AFL).

In addition, it will be asked that the large majority of District employes who did not receive the $330-a-year cost of living increase last July get that much over the $650.

One shift of the local's members met last night. The other shift had approved the proposal last week.

Lieut. Al Davis, chairman of the local's legislative committee, said bills providing for the wage boost will be introduced January 3 in both House and Senate.

He said the wage formula was agreed upon following conferences with other employe groups and the AFL legislative council.

The firemen also passed a resolution calling for a deficiency appropriation so a 60-hour week can be put into effect for firemen as provided in a bill passed by the Eightieth Congress. They now work 72 hours.

Fire Chief Clement Murphy and the Commissioners will be asked to request the appropriation of Congress.

The shift that met last week adopted a resolution protesting the fact that two Negro fire sergeants who had received non-competitive promotions from private had been permitted to take competitive examinations for lieutenant last October.

Last night's meeting voted to appoint a committee to study the matter further.

New Merger Steps Taken By Forrestal

Program Would Join Air National Guard With Reserve, Set Up Arms Agency

By John G. Norris
Post Reporter

Defense Secretary James Forrestal yesterday announced a series of merger orders and recommendations designed to eliminate waste of money, manpower and materials in the armed forces.

Marking the major effort in the field of unification since the services were consolidated last year, the program includes:

1. Proposed legislation to take the Air National Guard from control of the States and merge it with the Air Force Reserve into one Federally controlled force. The plan—if approved by President Truman—is certain to provoke a bitter Congressional fight with State groups.

Forrestal did not recommend the even more controversial plan to federalize National Guard ground forces now, but declared more Federal control over the Guard would be necessary ultimately.

2. Creation of an important new joint agency to evaluate present and proposed weapons and systems of attack and defense. The group will study the over-all effects and potentialities of such new "weapons system" as super aircraft carrier forces designed for strategic bombing, large forces of air infantry, and rocket defense against air attacks.

3. Transfer of the Army's sizable water transport service to the Navy. Merger of port facilities and blending of the Army's civil service crews into the Navy Transportation System would take about a year, it was said.

4. Approval "in principle" of a proposal to merge all land transportation for the armed forces under the Army. Plans for this have not yet been prepared.

5. Joint use of recruiting stations, medical examining units, motor transport and other facilities wherever practicable by the present separate Army-Air Force and Navy-Marine Corps recruiting services. An actual merger of such agencies may come later.

1. A legislative program to establish more effective reserve forces by simplifying transfers, equalizing disability benefits, and providing for joint use of armories and training facilities.

(7) A new system of cost accounting applying to all the services.

Announcing this sweeping program at a press conference, Forrestal also revealed that Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, former Army Chief of Staff and now president of Columbia University, had returned to the Pentagon for a temporary assignment. He said that "Ike" will act as his adviser on several matters. Such a role

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Forrestal Puts Off Request For Universal Training

Universal military training is not on Secretary of Defense Forrestal's 1949 legislative program, it was officially revealed yesterday.

The defense chief submitted to the White House a list of proposed bills for building up military reserve forces and a spokesman declared that it mentioned UMT as ultimately necessary whenever selective service is "no longer required to build up the regular forces."

Last year, Pentagon chiefs and Mr. Truman proposed both selective service and UMT, operating simultaneously.

New Policy Inaugurated

President Moves to Separate Civil Defense From Military

By Sam Zagoria
Post Reporter

President Truman has inaugurated a policy under which civil and military activities are to be separated in national defense.

As a consequence, The Washington Post learned last night, the Nation's civil defense program will be removed from the National Military Establishment.

The Office of Civil Defense Planning, an agency of the Military Establishment, recently issued a report outlining a blueprint for a civil defense program. Secretary of Defense James V. Forrestal included funds for operation of the office in his budget request for the coming fiscal year.

However, under the new Truman policy, Budget Director James E. Webb notified Forrestal that the item should be stricken from the National Military Establishment budget request, informed sources disclosed.

Truman's policy decision, observers pointed out, parallels a line of reasoning he took as a Senator heading the upper house's War Investigating Committee. Then, he came to the support of civilian war agencies which were resisting military encroachment on civilian phases of the national economy.

There was speculation as to the fate of the embryo civilian defense organization. Would it be made into a separate agency as in World War II or would it be turned over to an already existing civilian agency? One civilian agency mentioned as a possible home for the civil defense plan-

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Ex-State Department Official's Denial of Giving Secret Documents To Chambers Is Held Untrue By U. S. Grand Jury in New York

New York, Dec. 15 (AP).—A spy-hunting grand jury tonight indicted Alger Hiss, former State Department official, on two counts of perjury.

It accused Hiss, now on leave of absence from his $20,000-a-year post as head of the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace, of lying when he denied he gave secret State Department papers to Whittaker Chambers, confessed Soviet courier.

The charges originally had been leveled against Hiss by Chambers, a former senior editor for Time magazine, at hearings of the House Committee on Un-American Activities.

Hiss repeatedly had denied the charges.

United States Attorney John F. X. McGohey said he expected Hiss to give himself up to authorities. Hiss probably will be arraigned tomorrow or Friday, McGohey said.

Hiss later issued a statement through his attorney saying:

"My testimony before the grand jury was entirely truthful."

Clark "Not Surprised"

Attorney General Tom Clark said in New York he was "not surprised" by the indictment. He said he thought Hiss would be brought to trial some time in January.

Reporters asked whether Clark thought the indictment would affect President Truman's "red-herring" condemnation of the committee probe. Clark replied: "I don't think it will alter it."

Hiss is liable to a $2000 fine and five years imprisonment on each count of the indictment if convicted.

Hiss recently offered his resignation from his $20,000-a-year post as head of the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace but the resignation was tabled and he was given a three-month leave with pay.

The Federal grand jury said in its indictment that the statements it alleges were perjury were made before it today.

Specifically the indictment said Hiss "unlawfully, knowingly and willfully" lied when:

1. He denied that either he or his wife, Priscilla, gave any documents of the State Department or any other Government agency to Chambers.

2. Testified that he did not talk to Chambers during February and March, 1938.

McGohey declined subsequently to discuss with newsmen whether Hiss was protected by the statute of limitations against possible charges of filching the documents.

New Jury to Take Over

The indictment was turned over to the press about five minutes after the jury was discharged by Federal Judge John J. Clancy.

The jury told the court it had been unable to finish the probe of everything turned up before it but that the uncompleted details will be taken over by a new grand jury which is to be sworn in tomorrow.

The jury, which had been sitting for 18 months, earlier indicted 12 top Communist Party leaders on charges of advocating violent overthrow of the Government.

Hiss and Chambers had appeared daily before the grand jury since it began its espionage probe December 6.

Three days previously, Chambers had produced five rolls of microfilms from a hollowed-out

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House Probers Pleased With Hiss Action

Mundt Congratulates Federal Grand Jury And Justice Dept.

By Robert Albright
Post Reporter

House investigators last night passed "congratulations" all around on the perjury indictment of Alger Hiss, but chiefly hailed it as a "vindication" of the Committee on Un-American Activities.

They said the House inquiry will now concentrate on "loose ends" of the case, follow other "leads" and then frame legislation aimed at future espionage. And they called for "vigorous" Justice Department prosecution of the case.

Representative Karl E. Mundt (R., S. Dak.), acting chairman of the committee, said he didn't want to crow.

Aims One at Truman

"Both the Justice Department and the grand jury are to be congratulated for bringing this situation to light and having justice prevail," he said.

Then he tossed this one at the President:

"May I express the hope that nobody will ever again refer to this case as a 'red herring.'"

Mundt said the same statements for which Hiss was indicted were made to the committee last summer by the former State Department employe, "but of course we couldn't indict."

To Follow Up Loose Angles

With the indictment of Hiss, Mundt said the committee will drop plans to reexamine the man first accused by former Red Courier Whittaker Chambers of passing him top secret information from the State Department, but will follow up "loose angles" of the case.

He said the investigators in any event will call in Chambers, and tentatively plan to question Alger Hiss' brother, Donald, again.

Mostly, he said, the committee will be concerned with drafting legislation to "plug the loopholes in our espionage laws."

To that end, he said the House group will start with the House-passed Mundt-Nixon anti-Communist bill "as a base" and invite suggestions from Chambers and others on "how we might have stopped their show."

The grand jury acted after the committee had temporarily suspended activity on the Chambers charges. Mundt said it had slowed up "to avoid doing anything that might be construed as interference with the grand jury action."

Closes "That Phase"

Representative Richard M. Nixon (R., Calif.), who with Mundt directed the last stages of the House inquiry, said the Hiss indictment "closes that phase of our investigation," but added:

"We are going to follow up all the other leads that have been developed."

Nixon, who last week accused the Justice Department of pushing primarily for an indictment of Chambers—a charge subsequently denied by Attorney General Tom Clark—termed the grand jury's action a "vindication" of his com-

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Two Britons, 28 Others Killed in Colombia Crash

Bogota, Colombia, Dec. 15 (U.P.).—Thirty persons, including two Britons, were killed today in the crash of a Lansa Airlines plane five minutes after it took off from here for Barranquilla.

The wreckage was sighted from the air, on the slopes of Sabaleta Hill, 12 miles from the starting point.

The two British passengers were listed as A. C. Buchan and H. Howei. All others on board the plane were Colombians.

Land parties reached the scene shortly before nightfall and reported that all 26 passengers and four crewmen had been killed.

Group Named to Probe Alleged Invasion

United States and four other nations named to commission to make on-the-spot investigation of alleged invasion of Costa Rica as fighting continues near Nicaragua border. Story on Page 10.

Revolutionary junta takes over in El Salvador and holds President Castaneda Castro prisoner in the army barracks. Story on Page 10.

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Cherner, Lawyer Clash at Hearing

not only suggest, we try to sell them on Arlington Trust Co."

Two witnesses differed in their experience with Cherner insur-

Laurence G. White — Andrew Scheer

ance. One said he had had to take it, a second said he insured where he wished.

4. The subcommittee called several witnesses to tell of long unsuccessful waits for Cherner cars. Then subcommittee investigator Charles F. Meany reported that of 109 cars sold in June and July, only 15 went to persons who had made deposits, and all but one of the 109 were sold to persons with trade-ins.

Cherner said that the period taken by Meany was the one when the new cars came in, and that in other periods the percentage of cars sold without trades was much higher.

In the windup of the hearing, confused records of the Glasser Used Car Co. and Glasser Used Cars Inc., temporarily stalled the

Thelma Lyons — Leo Lyons

subcommittee. Chairman W. Kingsland Macy gave Fred Glasser, representing both firms, 10 days in which to locate from his records details of certain car transactions. Macy gave the extra time at Glasser's request when the latter, after conferring with aides, said more time was needed to study the records.

Leo Tucker, jr., General Accounting Office employe assigned to work with the subcommittee, testified that during the first seven months of this year, 42 cars which showed up on the Cherner records as having been sold to the Glasser firms did not appear on the Glasser records.

Accompanying Glasser to the witness table were Attorney Bert B. Rand and accountant Nathan Wechsler. The latter tangled with the subcommittee when its assistant counsel, E. R. Ferguson, asked whether one of the Glasser record books examined by the subcommittee was part of the financial system Wechsler installed. Wechsler said it was an administrative, not a financial, record, and was not part of his system.

When Ferguson asked Wechsler had ever told anyone connected with the subcommittee that the so-called administrative record was part of the financial record system, Wechsler snapped: The questions are not correct logically; you are not being fair; you are asking me foolish questions."

Chairman Macy stepped in to tell Wechsler, "The committee will thank you not to characterize its operations."

Later, Counsel Reddan asked if the Glasser books would show the profits made on each car.

"We're not interested in the profit on any one car," said Wechsler.

"Do you think the Internal Revenue Bureau would be interested in the profit on any one car?" asked Reddan.

"No," said Wechsler, "they're interested in the net profit."

About 5 p.m. Glasser asked leave to read a prepared statement. Macy said the books would have to be unsnarled first. He said the statement might be read after the subcommittee's questions were answered. He told Glasser to go out with his associates and the records, and try to find detailed information about several cars. Half an hour later Glasser said the cars could be identified "if we have a little more time." Macy said he should do it within 10 days.

A third Washington auto dealer, Samuel Michaelson, head of Auto Wholesalers' Inc., 1731 Bladensburg rd. ne., testified about four cars which showed up in records as having been sold by his firm to the Cherner Co., and repurchased by his firm.

He said the cars were in a group of nine which he arranged to store on the Cherner lot. To pay for the storage, he said, he agreed with Samuel A. Mensh, used car sales manager for Cherner, to sell four cars to him and buy them back at a $25 markup. He said Mensh wanted it to show in the volume of Cherner used-car business.

Testifying for the Ford Motor Company, J. R. Davis, vice president in charge of his firm's sales

Col. Victor Cary — Charles Oxley

and advertising, told the subcommittee his firm since 1945 had urged its dealers to follow this four-point policy.

(1) Give fair used-car allowances; (2) make no distinction in new car delivery between customers with cars to trade in, and those without; (3) sell, never force, accessories with new car purchases and (4) be guided by factory-suggested prices.

He said that in speeches and letters to dealers he had emphasized that the public would long remember wrongs in car purchases, and that the industry as a whole would pay for the sins of a few who dealt in the automobile gray or black market. He said that since January 1, 1946, Ford had ended 24 franchises for gray market transactions. On the other side, he said his firm had found in hundreds of investigations of complaints against dealers that "it often was a member of the car-buying public who was the offender."

Davis thanked the subcommittee "for your efforts to help the automobile industry eliminate gougers." He said facts brought to light by the hearings would be given the same careful investigations as previous cases. Where practices were found not in the public interest, he said the Ford company would apply its standing policy of disfranchising dealers concerned.

Cherner was yesterday's first witness. He sat down at the witness table at 10:45 a. m. with his attorneys, William R. Lichtenberg and Willard I. Zucker.

Cherner read a prepared statement. He said the Cherner firm, set up in 1930, had sold more than 40,000 new and used cars and trucks, largest volume of any Ford dealer in the area. He said the Cherner firm sells about 250 vehicles and services cars for about 1600 customers a month. He said Shirlington Co., formed in 1947, sells about 100 vehicles and services about 850 customers a month.

"No business could have made such progress without customer confidence and satisfaction," said Cherner. "It is today and always has been our policy to recognise the value of good customer relations as a producer of repeat business. Our record of progress speaks for itself and we intend to maintain the reputation that we have built up over these many years."

Cherner said he had been keenly interested in the work of the committee, that he firmly believes in fair practices, and that his firms had given wholehearted cooperation to the committee staff.

He cited Macy's earlier statement that a check of 60 per cent of new-car transactions in Metropolitan Washington for the first seven months of 1948 showed dealers averaged a 43-per-cent gross profit on trade in cars. In contrast to this average, he said that at Cherner the gross profit on resale of trade-in cars averaged 29.6 per cent for the same period. The gross profit, minus reconditioning costs, left 12.5-per-cent gross profit, he said. Deducting from that the selling and operational expense, gave a net profit of 3 per cent before taxes, he said.

In new car deliveries, Cherner said his firms had followed the policy of taking care of the customers who helped build the business, and of the service customers who helped keep the doors open during war. He said no promises had been made on delivery times, but that in the first six postwar months "we exceeded the recommended 25 per cent deliveries to veterans." He said he was confident no purchasers had paid under-the-counter tips to get cars from his firms. He said his firm had sold but not forced the sale of accessories.

After hearing Cherner's statement, the subcommittee turned at

Charles Meany — Gifford Shirley

once to testimony from customers of the Cherner firms.

Laurence G. White, 2644 S. Veitch, Arlington, said that in December, 1945, his wife deposited $25 with Cherner. In October this year, he said, he was called to Cherner and was given a choice of two cars to buy. But, he said, Leon Cherner, vice president of the Cherner and Shirlington firms, "in effect told me I couldn't have a new car unless I traded in the old one." He said the offer for his old car was $150. He said he and his wife bought a Crosley. He said he had not yet asked return of his deposit.

Charles H. Oxley 5315 Manning pl. nw., said he deposited $25 in March, 1946, to get a Cherner car, made numerous efforts to get delivery, and finally decided "it

Ernest Speakman — Benjamin Harrison

wasn't any use." He said he was going to get his deposit back.

Charles D. Funkhouser 638 Rock Creek Church rd. nw., said he put up a $50 deposit with Cherner in January, 1947, but had not received his car. He said Cherner officials had not suggested that delivery could be speeded with a trade-in.

Andrew F. E. Scheer, 4514 Connecticut ave. nw., said he made a $50 deposit with Cherner in February, 1947. He said his receipt indicated "delivery by June" but there was "no year marked." He said he took his '35 Ford sedan into Cherner's, was offered $100 for it in trade, and when he objected he'd rather give it to his daughter, he was told "no trade-in, no car."

Lieut. Col. Victor L. Cary, now stationed in Boston, Mass., said he had to wait from March, 1946, to last September to get a Cherner Ford. He said the final step was to arrange for a conference with Joseph and Leon Cherner. He said when the latter came in he referred to Cary as "the man who caused me to lose eight or nine pounds." He said Joseph Cherner, after the conference, sold him the new car. He said he wanted to be fair; that while he felt he wasn't treated right by having the long wait, there were two sides to it, and Cherner's having a pretty tough time."

John Boone, 5061 New Hampshire ave. nw., said he was a satisfied customer, having bought a Cherner Ford in March, 1948, with $100 allowance on his old car, and with a set of new seat covers thrown in free.

Joseph Capece, 1034 Buchanan st. ne., said he bought a new car from Cherner in December, 1947, having told officials there four or five years earlier he wanted to buy a new car when they came through. He said he kept the car 30 days, and turned it back to Cherner for another Ford. Reddan said the turn-in was sold by Cherner for $1800, about $300 more than the allowance. Capece

See AUTOS, Page 20, Col. 1

Dealers and Customers Testify at New Auto Inquiry

"EXHIBIT A"—Auto Dealer Fred Glasser (left) and Nathan Wechsler, his accountant, who gave the Macy subcommittee a little argument, check over book as they testify

JOSEPH CHERNER, head of the auto firm bearing his name, takes the stand

ON THE RECORD—Leon Cherner (left), vice president of the Cherner Motor Co., who did not testify, and Henry J. Gertler, secretary-treasurer, haul out company records at end of session

By Harry Goodwin—The Washington Post
SAMUEL MICHAELSON, another auto dealer

SPECIAL NOTICES

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Munsey Trust Company, Washington, D. C., will be held at its office in the Munsey Building on Tuesday, January 18, 1949, at 12 noon for the election of directors and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting. Polls open from 11 a. m. until 12 noon. A. J. BYRNE, Secretary.

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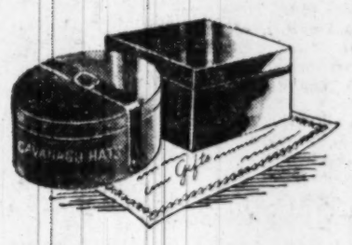

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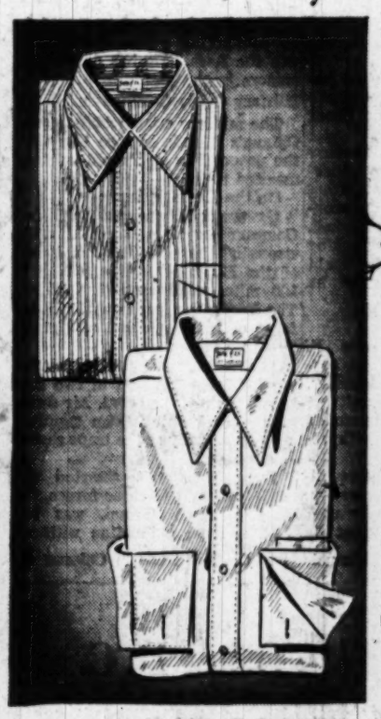

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U. S. Jury Indicts Hiss for Perjury

pumpkin on his Maryland farm in connection with his charges. The microfilms purportedly bore approximately 200 pictures of classified documents, three of which allegedly were in Hiss' handwriting.

In the first count of the indictment against Hiss, the grand jury said it was material to its probe to determine whether espionage or other Federal statutes had been violated and whether Hiss had any knowledge of such a violation.

The indictment then gave this version of Hiss' alleged perjured testimony:

"Q. Mr. Hiss, you have probably been asked this question before, but I'd like to ask the question again. At any time did you, or Mrs. Hiss in your presence, turn any documents of the State Department or of any other Government organization, or copies of any other Government organization over to Whittaker Chambers?

"A. Never. Excepting, I assume, the title certificate to the Ford. (This apparently referred to ownership of an automobile mentioned previously in the case.)

"Q. In order to clarify it, would that be the only exception?"

"A. The only exception."

"Juror: To nobody else did you turn over any documents, to any other persons?"

"The witness: And to no other unauthorized person. I certainly could have to other officials."

This testimony was false, the jury said, adding that in fact, Hiss furnished Chambers "copies of numerous secret confidential and restricted documents, writings, notes and other papers, the originals of which had theretofore been removed and abstracted from the possession of the Department of State in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 1621."

In the second count, the jury accused Hiss of perjury because of this testimony which was reproduced in the true bill:

"Q. Now, Mr. Hiss, Mr. Chambers says he obtained typewritten copies of official State documents from you.

"A. I know he has.

"Q. Did you ever see Mr. Chambers after you entered into the State Department?

"A. I do not believe I did. I cannot swear that I did not see him sometime, say in the fall of '36, and I entered the State Department September 1, 1936.

"Q. Now, you say possibly in the fall of '36?

"A. That would be possible.

"Q. Can you say definitely with reference to the winter of 1936?

"A. Yes, I think I can say definitely I did not see him.

"Q. Can you say definitely with reference to the winter of 1936. I mean say December? 1936?

"A. Yes, I can say definitely I did not see him.

"Q. Can you say definitely that you did not see him after January 1, 1937?

"A. Yes, I think I can definitely say that.

"Mr. Whearty (Assistant Attorney General Raymond P. Whearty, assistant to Thomas J. Donegan, special assistant to the attorney, who was in charge of the prosecution): Understanding, of course, exclusive of House hearings and exclusive of the grand jury."

"The witness: Oh, yes."

The indictment charged this testimony was "untrue in that the defendant did see and converse with the said Mr. Chambers in or about the months of February and March, 1938, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 1621."

As a climax to their daily appearances before the grand jury, Hiss and Chambers rode to the street from the fourteenth floor of the Federal Building today in the same elevator.

Others in the elevator said Hiss was grinning while Chambers, unsmiling, kept his eyes fixed on the floor.

There was no official statement of precisely what unfinished matters the new grand jury will take up.

However, it has been indicated that Elizabeth T. Bentley, also a former avowed Communist spy-ring member, will appear before the new panel.

She previously told a House committee she received military and other information from members of what she called a Communist underground unit in Washington. Several of the members of the group, she testified, were employed in the Government.

A witness appearing today for the first time in the current phase of the probe was George Silverman, wartime Air Forces employe.

He has been accused by Miss Bentley of furnishing her vital Government data. Silverman went before the House Un-American Activities Committee, where Miss Bentley made the charges, and denied them.

Other witnesses present today were Henry Julian Wadleigh, former State Department economist, accused by Chambers of supplying him information, and Isaac Don Levine, writer, who has said Chambers long ago told him his story of Communist spying in Washington.

The grand jury's probe was renewed in full force last week after Chambers had turned up documents in an effort to substantiate his charges. Some of these were on microfilm which he produced from a pumpkin shell at his Westminster (Md.) farm.

The jury indicted 12 top Communist Party officials on conspiracy charges last summer. These were the only indictments it had returned in its 18-month term prior to the Hiss indictments.

Ex-State Aide Indicted in N. Y.

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Film Figures Drop One Suit

Los Angeles, Dec. 15 (AP).—A friendlier attitude toward Hollywood's 10 "unfriendly witnesses" developed today.

It came during a lull in the job-reinstatement trial of Screenwriter Lester Cole when Attorney Robert Kenny announced the 10 controversy-surrounded film figures will drop their multi-million-donnar damage suit against independent motion picture producers.

Kenny, chief counsel for the 10 who declined to tell a House Un-American Activities Committee whether they were Communists, said he had received a letter from the Society of Independent Motion Picture Producers which indicated they were now ready to employ any of the men who were blacklisted by the industry.

"The independents, under the new leadership of former Gov. Ellis Arnall, have broken away from any alleged concerted action with the majors," was the way Kenny interpreted the letter.

House Group Pleased With Hiss Indictment

CHAMBERS—From P. 1

mittee and "a tribute to the fine work of the FBI."

"It is a justification for our many months of work," said the California Republican. "We started at the beginning against overwhelming odds and we were opposed by the Administration and many commentators and news analysts who honestly disagreed with us."

Representative John E. Rankin (D., Miss.) also plugged for a continuation of the committee's investigation regardless of the grand jury indictment.

Nixon recalled that Chambers said he had more than one source of State Department information and Rankin said:

"There is much more to be unraveled yet. I think someone gave out State Department information all during the war and that Japan had all the information it needed before it attacked Pearl Harbor."

Prior to the grand jury action the committee released, for publication this afternoon and tomorrow, two more batches of the copied and microfilmed secret documents Chambers said were passed on to him in 1937-38 period, and will release more later this week.

In these other developments:

1. Committee sources said they are investigating reports that secrets of the famed Norden bomb sight were passed on to the Russians by a civilian employe of the Aberdeen (Md.) proving ground, who is still on the Army payroll.

2. Disclosure that a committee investigator has been specifically assigned to finding out whether a spy ring is at work in the Government now. Said Mundt: "We have some evidence that at least until recently there were Communists in the State Department who could have gotten information out."

3. The committee postponed scheduled questioning of another witness when he checked out of a Washington hotel ahead of a subpena server. Mundt said the unidentified witness did not know of the subpena, and will be called later. He said he was not connected with the Aberdeen Proving Ground "leak."

In New York, meanwhile, Chambers told newsmen he warned a high State Department official 9 years ago that a Communist spy was employed at the Aberdeen Proving Ground.

Chambers said he told former Assistant Secretary of State Adolph A. Berle, jr., in 1939 that an Aberdeen employe was a member of the Red "apparatus" and "particularly warned him to get this man out of the proving ground."

Chambers said he also mentioned to Berle "a metallurgist who held a high post in the laboratories of the United States Steel Corp." This man, Chambers said, was in contact with Col. Boris Bykov whom Chambers identified as then head of the Russian underground in this country.

Devised for accuracy from great heights, the once closely guarded bomb sight was developed in 1931 for the Navy and later adopted by the Air Force.

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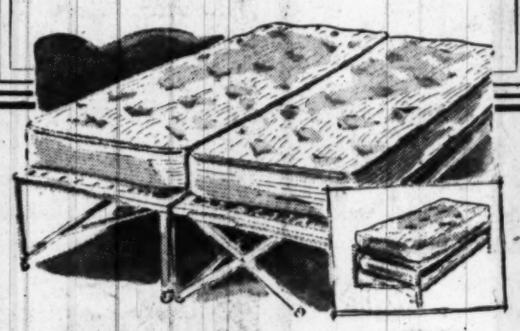
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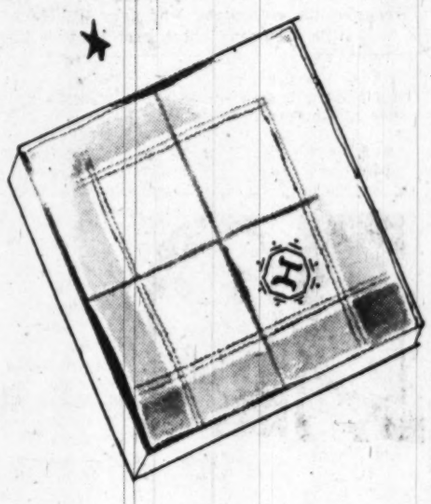
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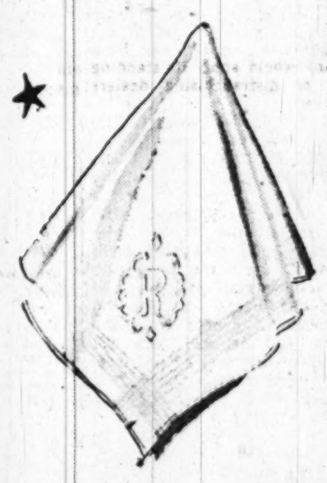
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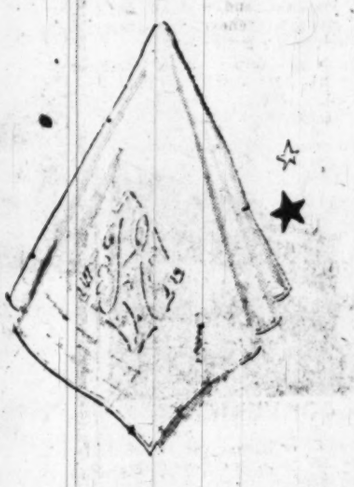
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Rights of Defense Urged in Probes

New York, Dec. 15 (AP).—The New York City Bar Association has called on Congress to adopt new codes giving witnesses and others in congressional investigations greater rights to defend themselves.

In a resolution adopted last night, the association urged that Congress guarantee the following rights to persons who believe their reputations have been attacked in congressional hearings:

1. Right to file with the investigating committee a sworn statement concerning any defamatory testimony or evidence, such statement being made a part of the hearing record.

2. Right to appear personally and testify in their own behalf.

3. Right to have the committee summon witnesses who have testified adversely concerning them, and to cross-examine such witnesses personally or through counsel.

4. Right to have the committee call a "reasonable number" of witnesses in their behalf.

5. Right of all witnesses to be accompanied and advised by counsel during hearings.

The resolution also proposed that new legislation ban radio broadcasts of hearings and the taking of pictures or moving pictures during the proceedings.

The association also approved proposed legislation providing for legal treatment of alcoholics from a medical rather than a corrective or penal viewpoint. The legislation also would provide establishment of state hospitals for chronic alcoholics.

United Support Urged For Civil Rights

Jackson, Mich., Dec. 15 (AP).—Leading citizens here called on both major parties on this National Bill of Rights Day to unite in support of a civil rights program.

This Michigan city lays claim to being the birthplace of the Republican Party.

The city's "Bill of Rights Day Committee," noted that Republicans and Democrats alike included civil rights planks in their 1948 platforms.

A resolution was addressed to Vice President-elect Barkley, Senators Vandenberg and Ferguson (R., Mich.) and Taft (R., Ohio), and Representatives Martin (R., Mass.), Michener (R., Mich.) and Rayburn (D., Tex.).

Committee members said that although their action was taken "in prideful memory of the founders of the Republican Party, we speak without partisan consideration as both Democrats and Republicans."

Signed by Mayor James N. House, City Manager Clarence W. Elliott and 400 civic, fraternal, business, labor and religious leaders, the resolution called on the Eighty-first Congress to "make 1949 the year of advancement toward the hopes and aspirations of all God-fearing people."

The resolution cited the 1948 Republican platform planks pledging to abolish the poll tax, to legislate against lynching, to extend equal educational opportunities and "to advance those other rights which are part of our concept of freedom."

It proposed "no belligerent approach to a problem, the gravity of which all good Americans must acknowledge."

"Yet," it added, "progress has been made—great progress—and we appeal for further steps to bring all Americans to a plane of democratic equality in opportunity and in government."

Government of Ireland Bill Sent to O'Kelly

Dublin, Ireland, Dec. 15 (U.P.).—The Senate today passed the government of Ireland bill and sent it to President Sean O'Kelly for his signature.

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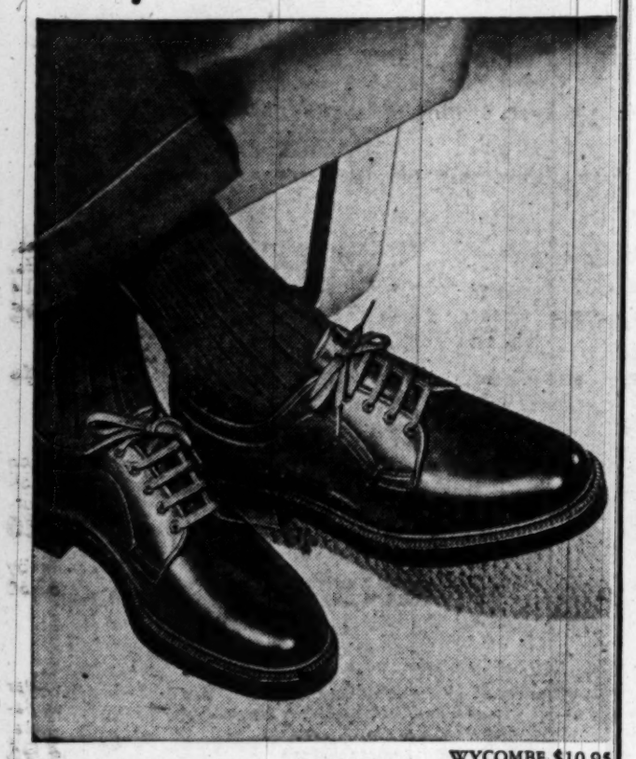

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Ruhr Management Accord Seen Near

London, Dec. 15 (AP).—Responsible sources expressed confidence today a six-power agreement is near on who will boss the big mines and factories of the Ruhr, industrial heart of Germany.

Representatives of the United States, Britain, France and the Benelux countries—Belgium, the Netherlands and Luxembourg—probably will wind up their conference on the future of the Ruhr late this week or early next.

The sole remaining issue to be settled is the question of management control of Ruhr industries. Conference officials, previously pessimistic about the chance of an accord, said considerable progress has been made in the past two days.

Although there was no official confirmation, the final agreement is expected to follow closely a French plan providing that the Ruhr's industrial management be kept under the control of an international commission—without Russian participation.

This would represent a major shift from the previous American-British position that production could be stepped up and costs substantially lowered through gradual return of plant management to the Germans themselves.

It was reliably reported the United States has informed France the question of future ownership will be pigeonholed until the time comes to write a German peace treaty.

This has done much to settle the differences of the present conference. Previously, the United States and Britain had announced they favored letting the Germans themselves decide the question of state or private ownership after a formal German government is established.

Meanwhile, a special United States committee concluded its review of the program for dismantling part of Germany's war industry. The committee, headed by the Cleveland industrialist, George Humphrey, was appointed by ECA Administrator Paul G. Hoffman to recommend which German plants should be retained to speed European recovery.

Sources close to the committee reported it probably will recommend continued German operation of between 100 and 150 of the factories on the original list of more than 500 slated for dismantling.

This would be a sharp reduction in previous American plans to keep more than twice that number in operation. The recommendations of the Humphrey committee were drafted after consultation with British and French representatives.

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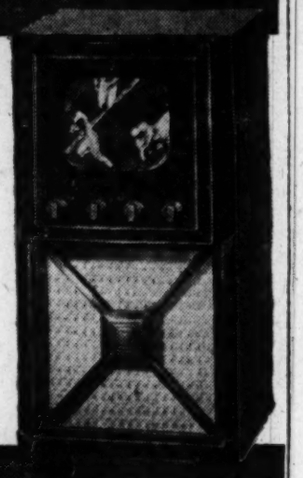

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The Soviet government has finally agreed to return three icebreakers and 28 frigates lent by the United States during the war, Acting Secretary of State Lovett announced yesterday.

The United States has been trying since July 1946 to get the icebreakers returned, and since last January to recover the frigates, which are escort vessels about the size of small destroyers.

In addition, Lovett told a news conference, a new note from Moscow represents an "advance" in the long-drawn-out negotiations for a settlement of Russia's $11,300,000,000 lend-lease account.

Most of this amount represents weapons and supplies consumed in the war, but the negotiations concern only the remainder still in Soviet hands. The United States has been trying since April 30, 1947, to get the Russians either to return or pay for 87 merchant vessels and civilian-type lend-lease supplies that would have peacetime usefulness.

The lend-lease negotiations with Russia, which took 18 months to get started, have been broken off since early this year.

Lovett also said the United States expected Russia to return the cruiser Milwaukee as soon as Italy turns over 30 warships to Russia, as provided in the Italian peace treaty. The Milwaukee was lent with other allied warcraft, until Russia got her agreed share of the Italian fleet.

The Italians and Russians have just signed a reparations agreement, and transfer of the Italian warships is expected to begin on January 15.

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Metals Charge Lacking Proof

much scarce material, we'll do something about it.

Bruce said he would not consider the export of scrap from Marshall Plan metals as a "breach of faith."

"We've simply alerted the countries abroad to control it," he explained.

He was asked whether he had any "special reason" for issuing Tuesday's statement when his own ECA missions in Europe were already investigating the scrap shipments.

"No," he answered, "except that the story appeared in about four newspapers. We decided we would move a little faster than we would have if there hadn't been this publicity."

He also said complaints from American businessmen had been forwarded to ECA by members of Congress, although none had come from an aluminum company.

Bruce also read a sweeping denial of the alleged British shipments, telephoned to him yesterday by Thomas K. Finletter, ECA mission chief in London. This is what Finletter reported:

"Investigations were undertaken several weeks ago when United States Department of Commerce figures showed about 12,000 tons of aluminum scrap imported from Britain during the first nine months of 1948.

No British Licenses Issued

"This investigation reveals that the British government has issued no licenses for the export of aluminum scrap since September, 1946. During the period in question only token exports were authorized for secondary aluminum, which is remelted scrap. The United States Government had previously been informed of these four shipments.

"There are several possible explanations for the discrepancy in figures, none of which indicated that exports of scrap aluminum have taken place with the cognizance of the British government. It is believed that no such exports could take place without the knowledge of the British government in view of the export control system now in force in Britain.

Harriman Is Investigating

"Without prejudging the matter, there are several possible explanations which are being examined. One is that exports from other countries which passed through the United Kingdom on their way from the United States were incorrectly marked as originating in the United Kingdom. Another is that traders in fabricated num, if in poor condition, into the United States as scrap because of the high prevailing prices there."

Finletter reported that further investigations were under way, and his chief in Paris, Special Ambassador W. Averell Harriman, also reported that he was still looking into the matter.

State Department Union Formed

Bruce said he would not "pass judgment" on Finletter's report until further inquiries had been made. Meantime, he said, ECA was not cutting down its allocations of metals, although he added that "we've been dragging our feet a little bit until we could see what was going on."

Acting Secretary of State Robert A. Lovett told his press conference yesterday that the State Department had not been consulted or informed in advance about Bruce's statement of Tuesday.

British Probers Told of Stanley Deportation Order

London, Dec. 15 (AP).—A tribunal investigating rumors of corruption in the Labor government heard today that Sidney Stanley, central figure in the probe, should have been deported 15 years ago.

E. G. Warner of the aliens office told the tribunal a deportation order against Stanley, 47-year-old Polish-born promoter, was issued in 1933.

Police couldn't find Stanley until 1940, Warner added, and no one could be deported to Poland then because of the war.

A lawyer, Edmund Wool, told the tribunal Stanley "mesmerized" John Belcher, who resigned yesterday as parliamentary secretary of the Board of Trade; Minister of Works Charles Key; Hugh Dalton, chancellor of the duchy of Lancaster, and George Gilson of the Bank of England.

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East Berlin Fires 2000 Anti-Reds

By Marguerite Higgins

Berlin, Dec. 15 (NYHT).—Communist power in East Berlin was flouted once again today when 2000 post and telegraph employes refused to sign declarations of loyalty to the rump Soviet-sponsored government. They were all promptly fired.

In retaliation Wilhelm Schimmel, chief of the west sector postal services, announced tonight he would dismiss immediately, all Communists or members of the Socialist Unity Party (Communist-dominated) who are working in west Berlin's postal department.

Most of the workers who refused to sign the pledge of loyalty to the Russian sponsored regime live in the west sectors. This week the Soviet-sponsored city administration has lost thousands of workers. To cope with this dearth of manpower, the Soviet-sponsored magistrate has been driven to drafting "juvenile workers."

All of this was denied tonight by the Russian authorities who asserted that there had been no firings whatsoever.

Federal Germany May Take in West Berlin

Frankfurt, Germany, Dec. 15 (AP).—The western sectors of Berlin may be included in the projected government of western Germany, Gen. Lucius D. Clay, American military commander, said tonight.

Clay said this question has been added to topics to be talked over Thursday by the British, French and American military commanders.

If the plan is approved, the British, French and American sectors of Berlin may send delegates to the Bonn Assembly which is now drafting a constitution for a western Germany government.

Clay said "a small number" of western German police officials were being sent to the United States to study American police methods. He repeated there was no plan to increase the size of western Germany's police force to match the armed "people's police" of the Soviet zone.

Clay also said United States Supreme Court action on the appeal of Japanese war criminals might open the way for similar appeals by Nazis convicted at Nuernberg.

British Think Israeli Downed Missing Plane

London, Dec. 15 (U.P.).—The Air Ministry said tonight it was believed a Royal Air Force plane, missing since November 20, had been shot down by the Israeli air force.

The plane, of the RAF Mediterranean command, carried a crew of two.

The Air Ministry said the matter had been taken up with Dr. Ralph J. Bunche, United Nations mediator for Palestine.

Schoolmaster Slain in Malaya

Associated Press WIREPHOTO

A. M. BLAKE, American-born headmaster of the Serendah Boys School, near Kuala Lampur, Malaya, was slain by insurgents. Police, who found his burned body in his residence, said he had been shot. Blake, who gave up his citizenship to become a Briton, was a native of Beverly, Mass., and attended Dartmouth

Budapest Rejects U. S. Oil Protest

Budapest, Dec. 15 (AP).—Hungary has rejected a United States protest against the seizure of American-owned oil properties, and replied that "the United States State Department had better mind its own business."

Its note rejecting the United States protest was handed to United States Minister Selden Chapin yesterday, and made public today by the foreign ministry.

The rejected United States note had charged that two American employes of the Hungarian-American Oil Industry Co., Ltd., a subsidiary of the Standard Oil Co. of New Jersey, were forced by Hungarian police to sign "confessions" that they sabotaged oil production; and that the "confessions" were used as an excuse to seize the oil company's properties.

The Hungarian government retorted that the American charges were unfounded. The Hungarian note alleged that sabotage by Standard Oil "is an organic part" of the American attitude toward the present regime here.

"Hungary," the note said, claims the right "to compensate itself for damages caused by the United States government retaining Hungarian property by making use of American property in Hungary."

Fate of H. M. S. Ajax Debated by Commons

London, Dec. 15 (U.P.).—H. M. S. Ajax, vanquisher of the Nazi battleship Graf Spee, became the center of another battle today when members of the Commons challenged the government's decision to sell the cruiser to a foreign power.

Conservatives requested that she be broken up for scrap rather than sold.

Tentative offers for purchase of the Ajax had been received from Chile.

Reds to Lend Dollars to Aid Czechs

Prague, Czechoslovakia, Dec. 15 (AP).—Soviet Russia will lend Czechoslovakia some of her gold and dollar stores to put the Czech economy in repair, it was disclosed tonight.

An official statement said a Czech mission to Moscow headed by Premier Antonin Zapotocky and three other cabinet ministers had been promised an unspecified sum of gold and "free currencies" in a new trade agreement.

As a result of the talks, in which Prime Minister Stalin and Foreign Minister Molotov took part, the two countries will increase their trade exchange next year by 45 per cent over the 1948 figure, the announcement said.

The Soviet Union and Italy have just completed a trade pact, which marks a competitive invasion, at least, of Russia into the Mediterranean.

Czech-Soviet Trade Pact Involves $360 Millions

Moscow, Dec. 15 (U.P.).—The Soviet magazine New Times said today the new Russo-Czechoslovak pact calls for an exchange of goods totaling more than 360 million dollars.

It also revealed a Polish-Czechoslovak agreement under which Poland leased to Czechoslovakia a special zone on the Oder River and the port of Stettin. The two countries agreed to jointly exploit their material resources and operate cooperatively at least 20 industrial enterprises.

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Soviet Veto Keeps Ceylon Out of U. N.

Paris, Dec. 15 (AP).—Russia vetoed Ceylon's bid for United Nations membership today for the second time, and the Security Council again postponed action on Israel's application.

This was the twenty-ninth time the Soviet Union had used its big power privilege to block a majority decision in the council.

The vote for Ceylon's admission was 9 to 2, with only Russia and the Soviet Ukraine against. This was the same as the council's earlier vote on Ceylon last August 18.

Israel Action Delayed

A decision on Israel's application was postponed until Friday at the request of French delegate Alexandre Parodi. French sources said Parodi had not received instructions from his government.

The Council accepted a suggestion of its president, Fernand van Langenhove of Belgium, that it postpone discussion on the Hyderabad question until it meets next month at Lake Success. The princely state was invaded by India last September, and surrendered shortly after the Nizam appealed to the U. N. for help.

The Soviet veto on Ceylon came after Russia and the United States teamed up in a successful move to have Israel's bid considered this week.

Supporters of the Israeli application said the French request for a delay was a hopeful sign for them. Their spokesman said France holds the deciding vote, and apparently is coming to a decision at the cabinet level.

Israeli needs 7 affirmative votes out of the 11 Council members. A two-thirds majority in the General Assembly also is required.

Palmer Will Address Law Fraternity Tonight

James E. Palmer, jr., special assistant to the United States Attorney General, will address the December meeting of the Delta Theta Phi law fraternity tonight at 8:30 in Room 260 of the Mayflower Hotel.

The speaker is vice president of the Federal Bar Association and author of the biography, "Senator Carter Glass."

Willing to Lead China Government

Associated Press WIREPHOTO
LI TSUNG-JEN,

Israel Stops Truce Talks

Tel Aviv, Israel, Dec. 15 (U.P.).—Israel stopped talks with Arabs today on details of the present Palestine truce, and announced it would discuss only a formal armistice or an actual peace.

Lieut. Col. Moshe Perlman, army spokesman, said: "We are ready to discuss an armistice and peace but not mere truce trivia."

A Foreign Office spokesman said earlier that Israeli delegates had been in contact with Trans-Jordan with a view to fixing a further meeting in Jerusalem on enlarging the scope of the truce there.

Pearlman denied reports that political negotiations had been started with Trans-Jordan.

CHINA—From Page 1

Friends Urge Chiang to Quit, Let Others Parley With Reds

lief units fighting up from the Hwai.

(The Communists in a broadcast heard in San Francisco said the twelfth group, originally of 110,000 men, now was half "destroyed." The radio said the trapped troops "are surrendering en masse in the face of doom.")

Reliable quarters said at least 30,000 Red troops from Manchuria had now reached Shantung province and probably would join the Communist armies of East China in the drive for the Yangtze and Nanking.

On the Peiping front:

Several points in the northwestern suburbs fell to the Communists. These included the Summer Palace and Yenching and Tsinghua Universities.

From there, the Reds closed in on Haitien village, 3½ miles from the northwestern corner of the city. Haitien probably will be taken by nightfall.

Red soldiers were reported within several thousand yards of Peiping's northwestern gate.

Explosions of mortar and artillery shells could be clearly heard in Peiping.

Meanwhile, the Nationalists abandoned Fengtai on the Peiping-Tientsin railroad, 3½ miles from the southwestern corner of the city where big freight yards are situated.

Associated Press Correspondent Spencer Moosa in Peiping messaged that everyone was convinced Gen. Fu Tso-Yi, the Nationalist commander, now is engaged in peace talks with the Reds.

Moosa said the main point at issue was apparently a Communist insistence that Fu get nothing but a spot in a coalition government. Fu also wants to keep his private army, a hard-hitting Inner Mongolian force.

Li Tsung-jen, his friends say, would take immediate steps to halt hostilities should he be handed the presidency. A permanent settlement then would be attempted during the armistice.

Li won the vice presidency in the national assembly last April over Sun Fo, who was backed by Chiang. Li won liberal support with demands for government reforms.

More U. S. Marines Sail for Shanghai

Nanking, China, Dec. 15 (U.P.). More United States Marines sailed for Shanghai today and Americans again were advised to leave China.

John M. Cabot, United States consul general in Shanghai, and Rear Admiral G. C. Crawford, said in a joint announcement that 695 Marines of the Ninth Regiment sailed from Tsingtao on the Navy transport Bayfield.

China Policy Not Changed

By the United Press

Acting Secretary of State Robert A. Lovett said yesterday that American policy toward China remains unchanged by Mme. Chiang Kai-shek's mission here.

China's first lady came uninvited to the United States two weeks ago to seek more military and economic aid to bolster her husband's Communist-menaced government.

Since her arrival she has talked once to President Truman and twice to Secretary of State George C. Marshall.

Lovett told a press conference the Government's policy continues to be the one laid down by Congress last year when it voted 275 million dollars of economic aid and 125 million dollars of military aid for Generalissimo Chiang's Nationalist government.

On other questions relating to China, Lovett said:

1. There has been no indications from China or here on reports that Chiang might come to the United States.

2. The State Department has received nothing official on reports of possible changes in the Nationalist government.

3. J. Leighton Stuart, United States Ambassador to China, is not participating in any political negotiations which may be under way in Nanking.

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Junta Takes Control in El Salvador

San Salvador, El Salvador, Dec. 15 (U.P.)—A revolutionary junta of three army officers and two civilians was installed today after an army coup yesterday overthrew President Salvador Castaneda Castro who is a prisoner in the army barracks.

There was sharp street fighting between 2 p. m. and 5 p. m. yesterday. El Zapote barracks, military key to the city, opened fire against the supporters of Castaneda Castro. Col. Juan Jose Solorzano, chief of the cavalry barracks, was killed. Eighteen persons were wounded.

Shortly after the firing began, Castaneda Castro abandoned the presidential palace and took refuge at police headquarters. But the firing continued and a white flag was soon hoisted by the police.

At police headquarters, in the presence of Diplomatic Corps, Castaneda Castro promised to resign both as President and as army commander in chief.

At about 5 p. m., the former President was taken to El Zapote barracks, where he remains.

The members of the revolutionary junta are Lieut. Col. Manuel De Jesus Cordova, Maj. Oscar Osorio, Maj. Oscar Bolanos, Dr. Humberto Costa and Dr. Reinaldo Galindo Pohl.

Martial law, in effect since 10 p. m. yesterday, was to end at 4 a. m. tomorrow.

'Prince Charles Behaved Beautifully . . .'

Associated Press Radiophoto

ROYAL FAMILY AT CHRISTENING—As Princess Elizabeth holds her infant son, Prince Charles of Edinburgh, in her arms, other members of the royal family gather round to pose in this, one of the first pictures of Britain's new prince, made at his christening yesterday in Buckingham Palace. They are (from left) King George VI, the grandfather; Prince Philip, the father, and Queen Elizabeth, the grandmother. An official bulletin said, "Prince Charles behaved beautifully throughout the christening"

Troops Move Toward Front In Costa Rica

San Jose, Costa Rica, Dec. 15 (AP).—Transport trucks loaded with armed soldiers rolled through San Jose's narrow streets today toward the northwest where the government says it is fighting off an invasion from Nicaraguan soil.

The government and people hailed the press reports from Washington that the Council of the Organization of American States had voted to send a commission to investigate. The government called this action a "diplomatic triumph."

The capital was peaceful. Christmas wreaths and candles decorated the stores and business was going on as usual.

A 10 p. m. curfew is still in effect, however, and there is a strict censorship.

The government announced last Saturday that rebels led by former President Rafael Calderon Guardia had crossed the frontier from Nicaragua and seized the town of La Cruz, 17 miles from the border.

No new military action today was announced.

Jose Figueres, head of the military junta ruling Costa Rica, said "it is a good possibility the enemy is getting money and arms from Dictator Trujillo of the Dominican Republic."

Commission to Probe Invasion Charges

A five-man commission was named yesterday to make an immediate on-the-spot investigation of Costa Rican charges that troops coming from Nicaragua have invaded her territory.

The commission was appointed under the Rio mutual defense treaty.

The group will leave for Costa Rica today.

Members include Paul C. Daniels of the United States, Jose Maria Bello of Brazil, Silvio Villegas of Colombia. Luis Quintanilla of Mexico and Juan Bautista de Lavalle of Peru.

De Lavalle was chosen chairman.

Gurgling Prince Is Baptized In Water From Jordan River

London, Dec. 15 (AP).—"Bonnie Prince Charlie" was baptized Charles Philip Arthur George today with Jordan River water.

Princess Elizabeth's first born "behaved beautifully" throughout his official christening, said an announcement. He didn't cry. "He just gurgled," said a spectator.

Before the ceremony the child who some day may be King of England received a ration book. His name was enrolled in the tattered red registration book of Westminster borough. And a national savings certificate for 10 shillings ($2) was bought in his name to give him a good start in life.

The ration book entitles him to extra milk, concentrated orange juice and cod liver oil, the same as any other baby of the realm.

The registration was performed by registrar John Stanley Clare, who drove to the palace in his small car. Two women officials called to hand out the ration book.

Then came the glittering half-hour ceremony in the music room presided over by the Archbishop of Canterbury in the presence of about 50 persons.

The month-old prince was brought into the room in the arms of his nurse, Helen Rowe. She handed him to his 18-year-old aunt, Princess Margaret.

It was she who answered "Charles Philip Arthur George of Edinburgh" when the archbishop said "name this child."

She handed him to the archbishop for christening with water from the Jordan River, which flows between Palestine and Trans-Jordan. The Church of England keeps some on hand for baptisms.

Second in line for the throne—after the present King and Princess Elizabeth—the new prince is the first in the royal lineage to bear the surname Edinburgh, although the earldom of Edinburgh has been in the family since Queen Victoria's time.

Elizabeth is a Windsor, a name adopted by the family when the German name of Saxe-Coburg became unpopular during the First World War.

The baby wore a historic lace robe bought by Queen Victoria for her descendants. Two hymns, "Holy, Holy, Holy" and "O, Worship the Lord," were sung by the boys of the Royal Chapel Choir.

The archbishop, in gold cape and mitre, stressed the religious importance of the ceremony in a brief address, and then the assemblage walked into another of the state rooms, where tea was served with the christening cake.

Before the cake, four selected news photographers took many pictures.

Other members of the family present included King George, Queen Mary, the child's father, the Duke of Edinburgh, the Princess Royal, the Duchess of Gloucester, the Duchess of Kent and Princess Alice.

22 Hurt When Bus From D. C. Rams Truck

Trenton, N. J., Dec. 15 (AP).—Twentytwo persons were injured, one seriously, in a collision today between a bus and a truck on Brunswick pike in nearby Lawrence Township, police reported.

The bus, bound from Washington, D. C., to New York City, ran into the rear of a parke dor stalled truck.

The driver of the Trailways bus, Harold W. Teague, 24, of 1741 D st., Washington, D. C., was quoted as saying the truck was parked without lights.

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DEFENSE—From P. 1

New Merger Steps Urged by Forrestal

was planned for Eisenhower when he left here last winter.

Forrestal's proposals to Federalize the Air National Guard and equalize facilities and benefits of the reserve components are the only part of the unification program which will need action by President Truman and Congress.

Recommendations Asked

The reserve proposals were sent to the White House in accordance with a presidential demand two months ago for recommendations on rejuvenating those branches.

While withholding any recommendation for Federalizing the ground National Guard "at this time," pending "further study" of the controversial proposal, Forrestal made no secret of his personal views on the matter.

The report was not made public, but a Defense spokesman said the Secretary "expressed his own conviction that the National Guard could not become a fully effective M-day force without greater or at least more effective Federal control over personnel, equipment, facilities, allocations of money and the type and assignment of units in accordance with over-all strategic requirements."

Opposition Expected

Transfer of control of the National Guard from the States to the Federal Government was proposed last summer by a high-level armed forces board headed by Assistant Secretary of the Army Gordon Gray. It provoked a violent reaction from Guard leaders.

Because of its relatively small size and less important peacetime State role, the Forrestal proposal to Federalize the Air Guard is less explosive than the Gray plan to include ground units. But Guard leaders are expected to oppose it strenuously as an "opening wedge" and "divide and conquer" strategy.

The Air Guard now totals 33,000 officers and men, slightly over 10 per cent of the State forces. Its units have 2200 planes and train one day a week and two weeks each summer. In contrast, present Federal Air Force Reserve totals some 85,000, has 1221 planes and gets only sketchy training.

Weapons Setup Described

Establishment of the new "Weapons System Evaluation Group" is regarded as a major step in unification of the services. Its stated purpose is "to provide rigorous, unprejudiced and independent analyses and evaluations of present and future weapons systems under probable future combat operations — prepared by the ablest professional minds, military and civilian, and the most advanced analytical methods that can be brought to bear."

It will be headed by a high-ranking general or admiral, who is "serving his last active assignment." The latte reondition is to divorce him as much as possible from influence by his own service.

Under this military man will be a research director, who will serve as chief scientific officer and deputy chief of the group. As he must be a first-rate scientist, it is expected that he will be a civilian, but the directive does not require that he be.

To Receive Years' Trial

Both military men and civilians will serve on the evaluation group and research may be farmed out. It will generally receive assignments from the Defense Secretary, Joint Chiefs of Staff or Research and Development Board, and such analyses must be given priority over its own studies.

Its findings are advisory. After a year's trial, the agency will put under the Joint Chiefs of Staff, subject to protest by the RDB.

These arrangements represent the settlement of a long tug-o-war between military chiefs and civilians of the Research and Development Board over the question of military vs. civilian control of research. Forestal told reporters the settlement was a "marriage of the military and civilians" and would not result in dominance of either. Other quarters, however, remarked that it "seems pretty evident who will wear the pants."

To Evaluate Major Matters

The group will not study such matters as the merits of 80-millimeter mortar over a 60, but much more sweeping questions. For example, if one service wants to put in a Nation-wide air defense system, or build flotillas of 80,000-ton carriers equipped with atom-carrying bombers, or create a new airborne army, the agency evaluates their potentials and probable cost. The proposal might be technically feasible, but be turned down because the over-all cost in men and materials of building, fighting and supplying it would interfere with more essential and less costly defense plans.

Forrestal said the JCS had approved the transfer of the Army Water Transport Service to the Navy, and ordered detailed plans drawn up for submission to them. Many problems remain, such as consideration of rights of Army civil service crews and complex matters of stevedoring. Plans for later merging land transportation under the Army largely involve questions of priorities and assignment of responsibilities, as actual operations would be under the railroads.

260 Vessels to Be Transferred

Officials said there are about 260 Army transports and cargo vessels to be transferred to the Navy, plus some charter vessels.

A defense spokesman said the National Guard-Reserves report submitted to the President proposes legislation to:

1. Fully federalize the Air National Guard and merge it with the Air Force Reserve. No details were given.

2. Provide common Federal appointments and enlistments in the Army of the United States of all guardsmen and reservists.

3. Equalize disability benefits for all branches of the reserve.

4. Provide a simple method for guardsmen and reservists to transfer back and forth.

5. Jointly use armories and training facilities.

6. Set up a common officers training corps plan.

7. Carry out the Navy's Roper Board plan for improvement of the reserves, modified to conform where needed with the Gray Report.

"See? Retractable landing gear!"

Rape Case Hearing Set Saturday for Bus Driver

Preliminary hearing for an Alexandria bus driver charged with raping a 23-year-old married woman will be held Saturday at 10 a. m. in Alexandria Police Court.

Thomas Campbell, 29, of 1309 King st., Alexandria, was held in $5000 bail by police who arrested him Tuesday morning on the charge that he raped the woman Monday afternoon in her room at an Alexandria boarding house.

$111 Won in First Jap Breach of Promise Suit

Osaka, Japan, Dec. 15 (U.P.).—A 22-year-old woman received 30,000 yen ($111) and an acre of farmland today as damages in Japan's first breach of promise suit. Miss Junko Nakazawa charged in her suit that Bunkichi Okada, 30, had "desecrated her chastity" after promising to marry her.

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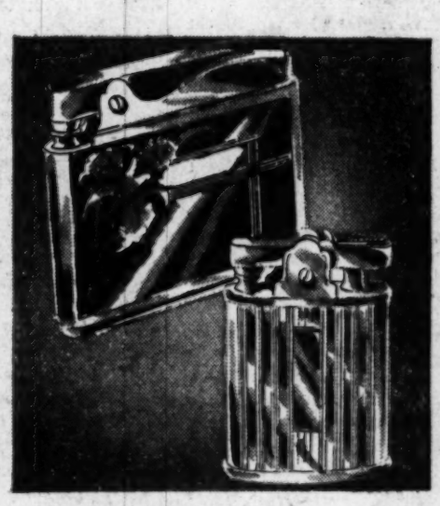

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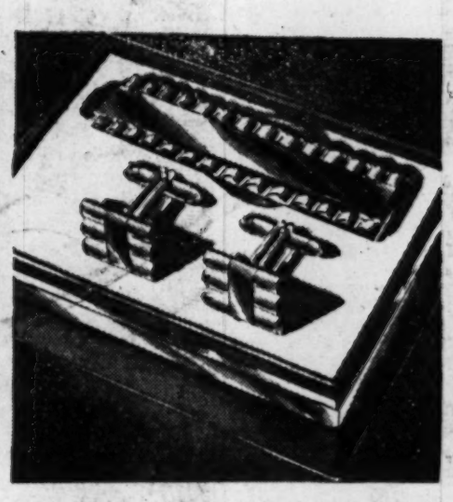

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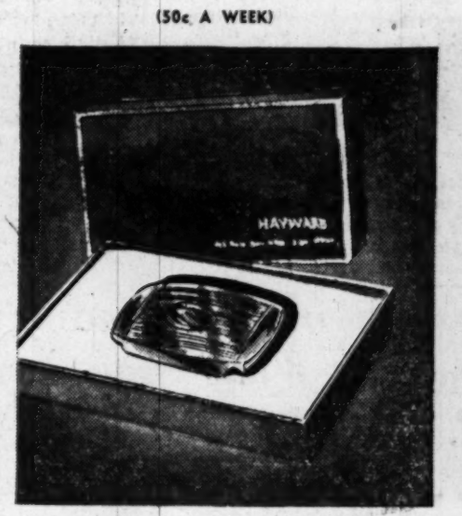

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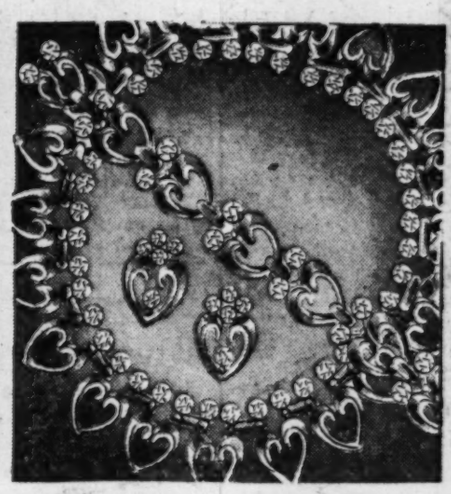

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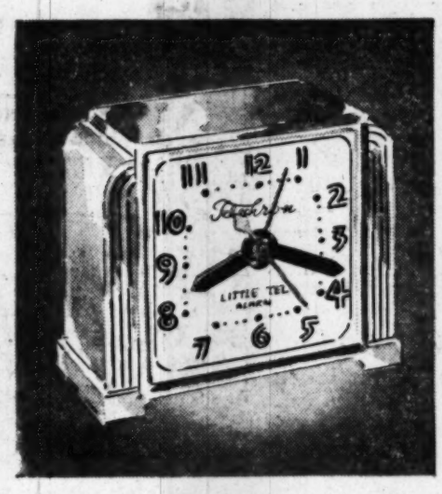

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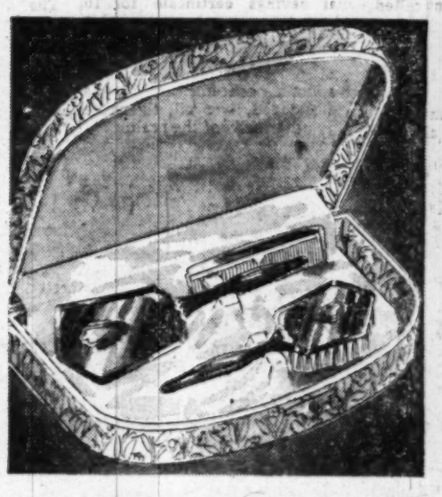

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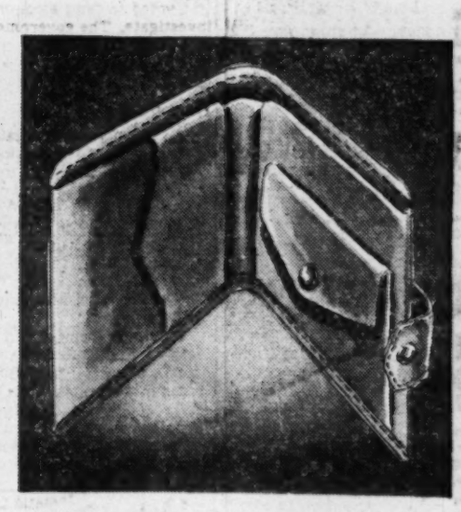

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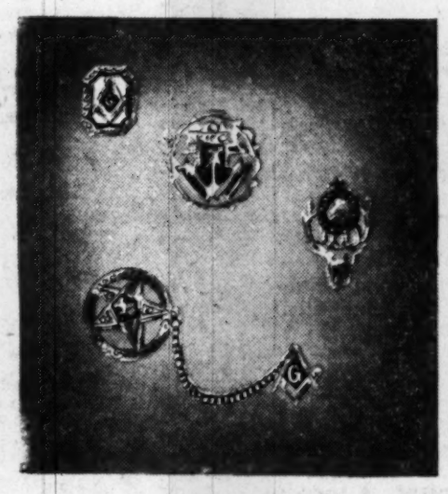

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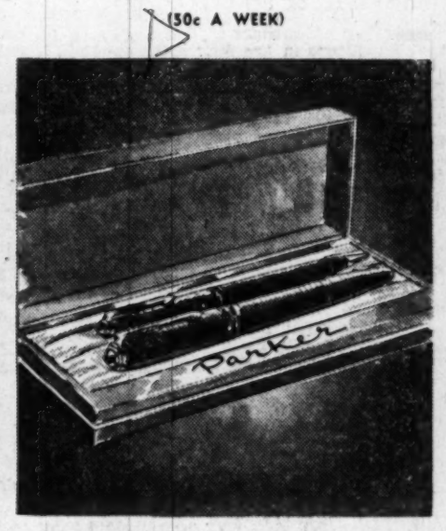

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Arlington Log Jam

The eleventh-hour manner in which Arlington County tax bills were sent out this year has understandably riled a good many residents. Although the payment deadline was December 1, a number of instances have come to our attention in which bills were not received until after December 1. The bundle from the country treasurer included, according to law, bills for the Virginia income tax, the real estate tax, tangible and intangible personal property taxes and the poll tax. The blow to Christmas budgets was not softened by the discovery that the tax rate, especially on personal property, had risen substantially.

It is, of course, true that Arlington and Virginia residents should know from experience that their tax bills will arrive just before Christmas. County officials are not to blame for an anachronism of the Virginia tax system that calls for payment of 1947 taxes almost at the beginning of 1949. When returns were filed on May 1, most persons should have had an idea of what to figure on, though, of course, they could not know just how the new rates would affect them.

Nevertheless, the last-minute rush in Arlington contrasts unfavorably with other counties where bills were dispatched a month or more before due date. The theory here and there broached that the Arlington delay was manufactured in order to encourage late payment of taxes and swell county revenues with penalty payments is, of course, absurd. No doubt the trouble has its roots in the tremendous population expansion which has made for overburdened offices and staffs, as well as in the fact that a new accounting system was installed this year. The law requires only that bills must be mailed before December 1.

It will be hard to convince county residents, however, that officials did not have sufficient time after returns were filed May 1 to figure taxes and send out bills well in advance of due date. If the delay did not violate the law, certainly it contributed to poor public relations. A swarm of angry taxpayers is not likely to be very understanding about Arlington's real tax problems.

Stitch In Time

Nations bound by the Rio defense pact have responded to the aggression against Costa Rica with all the firmness that could be wished. By authorizing a full-dress consultation of Foreign Ministers, if necessary, they have recognized quite properly that the seriousness of the invasion cannot be measured by its relatively small size, any more than the weight of the housemaid's illegitimate child qualified her dereliction. Meanwhile the Council of the Organization of American States, working as the provisional organ of consultation, has ordered a prompt on-the-spot investigation of the Costa Rican charges against Nicaragua. Already the prospect of action under the Rio pact is reported to have caused a tightening of the Nicaraguan border.

Inasmuch as the incident came only 10 days after the Rio pact went into effect, the Organization of American States might have been expected to feel its way to common action. Exactly the opposite has been true. Council President Enrique Corominas of Argentina took a leading part in the decision even though he could not vote because his own country has not yet ratified the Rio treaty. The fact that the invasion has been pretty well contained, of course, gave the organization a breather in which to set its procedures in motion. If the Rio treaty is to serve as a model for the proposed Atlantic Pact, then it may be desirable to set up some faster means of action. In the event of a sizable invasion in Europe, an occupation might be virtually complete in four or five days.

There appears to be no offense under the Rio pact in the revolution which has deposed President Castaneda Castro in El Salvador. Here the uprising seems to have stemmed from Castro's call for a constituent assembly to amend the constitution so as to prolong his term in office. New elections had been scheduled for January, and Castro in recent weeks had been doing a lot of talking about a Central American Union to impress voters with his statesmanship and indispensability. Castro himself came to power under suspicious circumstances, even though he was technically elected in 1945; both other candidates withdrew. Apparently the revolt was designed to foil his dynastic ambitions.

Regardless of the outward justification for the upset, the fact is that it brings another army regime to power in Latin America. And though there is nothing in the Rio pact that authorizes intervention against domestic military oppression, there also is nothing in the decisions reached at Bogota last spring that requires diplomatic recognition of such regimes. A go-slow policy in sanctioning the army governments in El Salvador, Venezuela and Peru would be a healthy brake against further coups. The historic action of the Organization of American States in the Costa Rica-Nicaragua dispute only serves to emphasize the danger to all Latin American countries that arises from the spread of militarism in any one of them.

Bruce's Blunder

Acting ECA Administrator Howard Bruce has admitted that charges that Britain, Holland and Belgium have been reselling to this country aluminum and lead scrap bought with ECA dollars are based on news stories, protests to Congressmen from American industrial groups, and a superficial examination of import data which had not been substantiated. The accuracy of these reports is challenged by spokesmen for the British government. And Thomas K. Finletter, chief of ECA in the United Kingdom, says that licenses have been issued for only very small amounts of secondary aluminum—that is remelted scrap—and there is no evidence that exports have taken place without the knowledge of the British government.

An investigation to determine the reason for the difference between import figures of the Department of Commerce and the British export license total is, of course, essential. But there is no excuse for the hasty, irresponsible utterances of Mr. Bruce. His blunder is the kind that is worse than a crime, and he should resign. He has done irreparable damage by his unverified charges of abuse that will not only arouse justified indignation abroad but resentment at home. Millions of Americans will learn of the alleged misuse of Marshall Plan funds and no subsequent disproof of the charges will entirely dissipate the suspicions aroused by the original attack.

Under the most favorable conditions the ECA has a difficult task ahead of it. For it is the purpose of the program to build up the exporting capacity of aided countries by shipping them machinery and raw materials for use. The goods manufactured with the aid of such machinery and raw materials, purchased with ECA money, will in the coming months increasingly offer competition to goods of American manufacture. That is to be expected, and is in conformity with our aims. Nevertheless, industrial groups facing such competition will be quick to exploit any opportunity to register protests with Congress against ECA policies. If mere newspaper stories and unreliable rumors such as those broadcast to the world by Mr. Bruce gain a hearing, it is easy to guess what is likely to happen when the ECA program gets into full swing.

Human Rights

It is no disparagement of the Declaration of Human Rights approved by the United Nations General Assembly to say that these rights are not observed in many parts of the world. The declaration is not a statement of existing practices; it is a codification of human hopes, a star to which men can look for inspiration. The worth of the goal is not diminished by the imperfections in world society—imperfections which are by no means confined behind the iron curtain.

What Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt and her colleagues on the U. N. Human Rights Commission attempted to do was to specify a concept of the dignity that belongs to every individual as his birthright, irrespective of his relationship to the state. This is in contrast to the view of Andrei Vishinsky, that only within the framework of government do human rights have meaning. The declaration seeks to establish the moral responsibility of governments not only to recognize this birthright but also to protect it.

As the product of compromise, the declaration inevitably includes provisions not wholly to the liking of individual nations. One of these is Article 29, which states among other things that "Everyone has duties to the community in which alone the free, full development of his personality is possible." These are nebulous words which seem to open the door to the idea of responsibility to the state underlying totalitarianism. Indeed, it has been pointed out that among the many provisions calling for security of the individual, freedom of movement, free elections and representative government, Article 29 is the only one to which the Soviet Union could subscribe with honesty. The Soviet bloc at least had the candor to oppose many parts of the declaration and to abstain from voting on the final statement.

In defining individual rights to work, to social security, to health and wellbeing, the declaration takes a strong step toward the paternalistic state. There will be many arguments over the question whether an individual's birthright actually should encompass cradle-to-grave security. Furthermore, there are some articles of the declaration—such as that barring racial distinctions and that protecting the individual against "attacks upon his honor and reputation"—which, as Edgar Ansel Mowrer points out, are being violated in the United States every day. And certainly such other concepts as equal rights in marriage are not accepted over a large part of the Far East.

These are practical obstacles which will militate against the writing of the Declaration of Human Rights into a legally binding covenant. Implementation will necessarily be a slow business, if only for the reason that people rather than theories are involved, and superstitions and social customs cannot be reversed overnight. But merely because the performance lags behind the ideal is no reason why the declaration cannot be a meaningful catalyst. As Sir John Maynard has said, "Forms, if they are not too flagrantly violated, have a way of adding to themselves some measure of reality." And without ideals as guides, no human progress is possible.

Executive Salaries

Former President Hoover's testimony before the Flanders Subcommittee Tuesday was naturally of most interest when he spoke of increasing the Chief Executive's pay or allowances. Mr. Hoover, as Senator Flanders mentioned, is an "expert" on that matter. And there is a certain urgency on the point, since if anything is to be done for President Truman it must be done before next January 20. But that was not the most significant aspect of Mr. Hoover's testimony. In chorus with other witnesses, in and out of Government, he urged a marked increase in the salaries of upper-level administrative officials as a true economy measure. While the witnesses were not always in agreement on specific increases, all declared that a total rise of one million dollars in the Government's payroll would be more than equaled in managerial savings.

Idealists may lament that it is the exception rather than the rule to enter public service for its own sake, but it is true, nonetheless. Power is often the pull for the financially well heeled. But for the vast majority of others monetary remuneration is the strongest magnet for bringing superior men into the Government and holding them there. The result is that a counteraction is always in operation. Higher pay in private employ constantly drains away some of the men who manage the biggest and most important "business" in the country, the Government of the United States. Not that we believe in parity, but something must be done to arrest the hemorrhage that has lately been in evidence.

A few months ago 55 Government positions paying $10,000 or more were going begging for occupants. Since more than half of these called for scientists, the factor of security against irresponsible slander doubtless contributed to the difficulty of filling them. But the circumstance only goes to show that, adding salary to the other considerations, scientists as well as other public administrators can get jobs they consider as good or better outside of Government.

The Secretary of State, along with the other Cabinet officials, now is paid $15,000 a year, the same amount as members of Congress—except that $2500 of the latters' take is tax free to cover expenses. The head of the Veterans' Administration, which spends over six billion dollars a year, gets a $12,000 salary. A very considerable number of similar examples could be given. The need for upward revision can perhaps best be seen in the fact that in specific instances Congress has recently upped certain salaries. For instance, the ECA administrator receives $20,000 and elsewhere some nonpolicy-making subordinates get more than their superiors.

The inconsistencies of such a situation only serve to emphasize the need for a thorough reexamination of the salary scales for top-ranking executive branch officers, with the view of adjusting them in some places and raising them in others. If something is not done, the Government will end up with a team of mediocrities and men of independent wealth. Government would thus suffer in efficiency and representativeness, which would be a problem of some consequence to the American people.

Too Swank For Truman

It must give President Truman a wry satisfaction to watch the hemming and hawing in the Air Force over the luxurious "mystery" airplane that reportedly was being prepared for "President" Dewey. The Military Air Transport Service flatly denies that it is stuck with a plush new Lockheed Constellation which had been rushed through its tests to be ready for a new Chief Executive on January 20. But there seems to be no doubt that such a plane is in existence at the Washington National Airport. And no one has explained why it should outswank the President's own DC-6, the Independence. Meanwhile Mr. Truman is reported to show no inclination to get the Air Force off the hook by accepting the Constellation as the successor to the Independence.

Whether or not the Air Force was engaged in political guesswork in this instance, there are plenty of reports of great expectations elsewhere in the armed services that Mr. Dewey would be President. Such estimates of the situation proved to be no worse than those of a good many people who were flabbergasted by the election results. But the point is that the armed forces have no business monkeying with politics even to the extent of basing their plans on the opinion polls. The present fiasco, if it can be substantiated, ought to be a reprimand to the military for venturing beyond its authority. The stew when the straight-laced General Accounting Office gets its hands on such an item should be something to see.

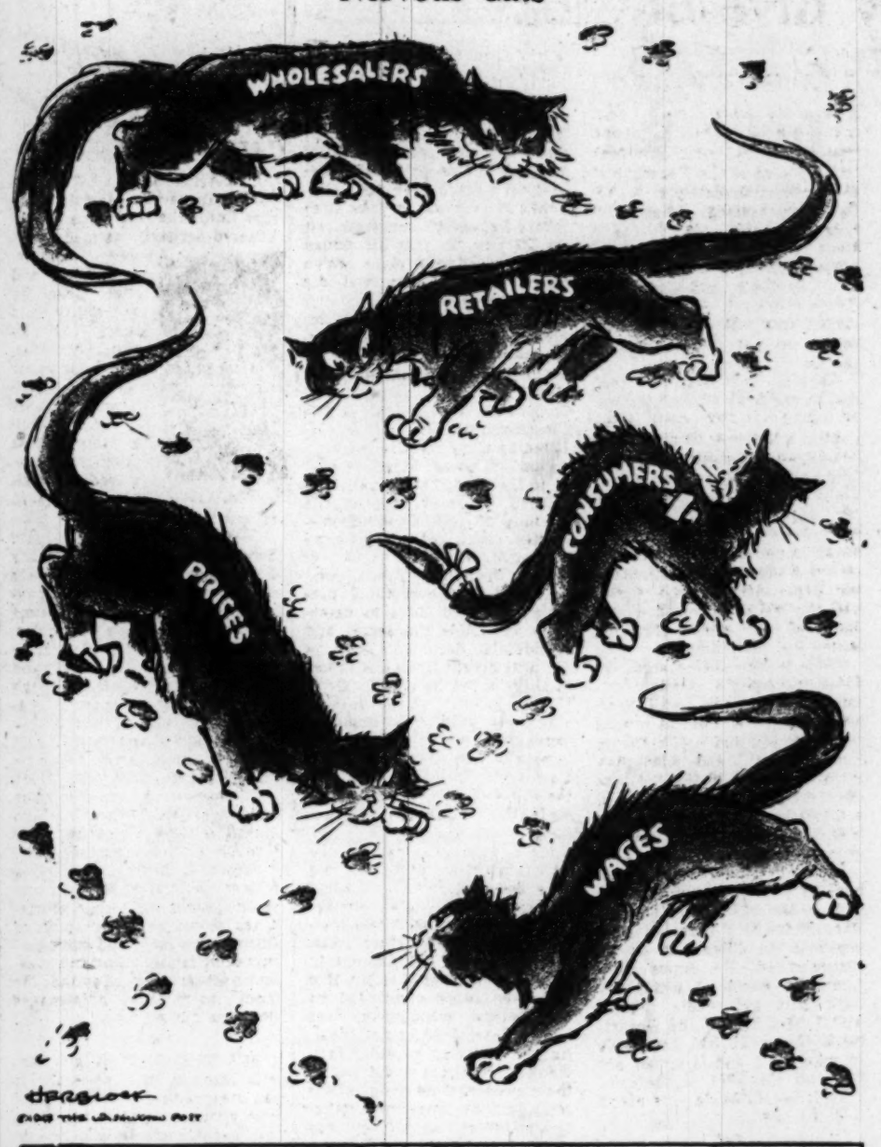
THE END OF THINGS

Not the beginnings, but the ends of things
Come into focus of our camera hearts:
Where is green spring when somber winter starts
The year's last leafless, birdless journeyings?
And where begin the seaward wanderings
Of rivers rushing to their delta parts?
And where the silver suture, when departs
Each bleeding day in cloud-gauze surgeonings?

Pit that we the foetus of our hate
Will keep unfocused in the sight of fears,
Until disaster born is seen too late
Through lenses dripping with our sudden tears.
When our sad retinas project war's reel,
Not its beginning, but its end we feel.

HAROLD ZLOTNIK

Nervous Cats



Letters To The Editor

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Sex Education

I am certain that many readers have followed various news reports on classroom presentation of sex education and hygiene in the State of Oregon. The well handled story of December 5 by your reporter, Elsie Carper, was a most fitting news climax. Her description of the film *Human Growth* was illuminating, but it was her accompanying probe in the opinion and feeling of Washington officialdom that struck to the core. She opened the issue in such a way that the Washington public and more especially the parents, for whom this is more than vacuumized theory, can conclude why there is such puritanical head-hiding in the school system of what should be the most progressive city of the Nation.

Capt. Rhoda Milliken, who heads the Women's Bureau of the Police Department and takes a positive stand for sex education, certainly must be in an excellent position to see the more flagrant results of sex ignorance. But these cases only spotlight a meager handful of all the sexually maladjusted adults.

A steadily swelling stream of patients with botched-up marriages discover from their psychiatrist or general doctor that at the root were unhealthy attitudes and false conceptions about sex, acquired during childhood and adolescence. The recommendation of beginning at an early age with a broadened sex eduction program, by Dr. Ross Taggert, venereal disease director for the D. C. Health Department, has implications immediately obvious.

All this would seem to illustrate the urgency of developing—and inaugurating—a system of sex education which would be at least as extensive and well planned as our curriculums of Latin, literature, or home economics. In Washington such progressive concepts are thwarted by Dr. James A. Gannon, physician member of the Board of Education, and its apparent mentor and spokesman on all matters of sex education.

Dr. Gannon's comment on the film *Human Growth* (designed for children in the sixth through ninth grades) as "good biology" but that he would "rather prefer, though, the present method of showing it to parents," is disgusting. Showing the film to parents is like prescribing medicine 20 years too late. The film is being shown to Parent-Teacher Associations throughout D. C. not so much for education but in the hope that enough popular demand will be generated to force the Board of Education to relax its ban. ART FRAZER.
Alexandria.

Thoughts For Christmas

How can we most truly celebrate the birth of our Savior? Not with extravagant giving to those who already have more than they need, not with stereotyped printed greetings to our friends, but with a new and deeper dedication to the Father of Him and of us, and to those of our brothers who can know no Christmas. Percy Hayward expressed these thoughts in Young Peoples Prayers:

"Christ of all the Christmases there have been, hear my prayer for those who have no Christmas.

"For the darkened millions who go to bed hungry tonight and all the nights.

"For the children in whose homes the candles have been put out by pestilence, war, and fear.

"For boys and girls whose hands press against the store windows while their eyes devour the glories they can never touch.

"For those of us who think we are having a Christmas, but have none because our hearts are torn by hate, twisted by prejudice, crippled by narrowness and pride.

"For those who have no Christmas this day, Christ of deathless love, let Thy presence come with joy and healing in its wings. Amen."

MARTHA B. KNAPP.
Alexandria.

Film Censorship

It is discouraging to learn from Richard L. Coe's drama column (December 13) that the Legion of Decency has been allowed to censor films in Washington for adult audiences. This is supposed to be a country free of religious interference in educational and political affairs and it does not augur well for the future of cultural freedom in America if a small minority group forces its prejudices and dogmatic editing upon a mature audience that prefers to have its boo and films unedited and uncut.

American theaters should refuse to show films edited by this group, insisting upon the original uncut version for adult visual consumption. The complete separation of church and state also applies to the American theater. JOHN C. ROGERS.
Alexandria.

"Red Herring"

To the average citizen, hoping that out of the wreckage of the world there will be salvaged at least some measure of individual freedom, it must be bitterly discouraging to know that the President of the United States, on whom rests such great responsibility for safeguarding that freedom, continues to disparage the investigative activities of the Congress with respect to an alleged Communist spy ring.

Mr. Truman announces only the one reason that these investigations are an effort by the Eightieth Congress to cover its own shortcomings.

The logic of the President is so obscure as to be totally invisible to the average citizens. Regardless of the merits or demerits of the Eightieth Congress, the members thereof were elected by the people on the basis of platforms known to the people.

I am inclined to think that the Congress would be delighted to cooperate with the Department of Justice if it had any reason to hope that the department would take vigorous action. Unfortunately, the department has not heretofore shown any desire to uncover communistic spy rings or, if it has, it has displayed such modesty that the general public is totally unaware of its activities.

If Mr. Truman has proof that there is no Communist spy activity in this country, he owes it to the people to assure them of that fact by exhibiting such proof. In the meantime, if he has no intentions of ferreting out the truth in the matter, it does not sit well on him to belittle the efforts of the Congress.

J. TYSON LEE.
Frederick, Md.

Origin Of The Monroe Doctrine

I agree wholeheartedly with Mr. R. N. Stromberg's letter in regard to your editorial of December 2 on the origins of the Monroe Doctrine. The idea that the Monroe Doctrine "had its original inspiration . . . in resistance to Russian imperialism" is historically false and misleading; nor does your editorial note to Mr. Stromberg's letter substantiate your original contention. In fact, the note itself is historically erroneous.

The "noncolonization" principle of the Monroe Doctrine was first expressed by John Quincy Adams in his Independence Day address of July 4, 1821, and not in his dispatch to Henry Middleton on July 22, 1823. The American Minister to Russia, Henry Middleton, moreover, reported to Adams that the American reaction of the ukase of 1821 was nothing more than a "tempest in a teapot," and did not represent a well-considered policy of the Russian government.

Middleton also informed Adams that the decree would not be enforced, since "the Emperor had already had the good sense to see that the affair should not be pursued too far." In accordance with this determination, Baron Tuyll, the Russian Minister in the United States, was advised to inform the American Government that its protests had induced Russia to suspend the operation of the ukase and to enter into negotiations for a treaty settlement of the problem. This resulted in the signing of a treaty between the United States and Russia in 1824 by which Russia abandoned all claims to the Oregon Territory.

The origins of the Monroe Doctrine were a product of three distinct factors: (1) The fear that the Quadruple Alliance by its invasion of Spain in 1823 would assist Spain in the recovery of her American colonies; (2) the fear that Great Britain would seize Cuba, and also extend her control to Latin America, thereby adversely affecting American interests, and (3) the fear of a Russian attempt to extend her control along the northwest coast of America.

Of these three factors, the least significant was the third. It was in Latin America, and not the northwest coast, that the greatest area of conflict of American and European (including British) foreign policies was most in evidence. The problem here was twofold: the strategic control of Cuba and the Caribbean, and the problem of recognition of the independence of the Latin American republics.

The Monroe Doctrine was issued as a warning to Europe, and a challenge to England (necessitated by Canning's repudiation of the joint declaration) to abstain from any intervention in the New World. The mere scope of the Monroe Doctrine made clear that it was not intended to be aimed exclusively against Russian imperialism, but was meant to serve as a warning to all European powers.

JULES DAVIDS,
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Washington.

It was nowhere stated or implied in the editorial that the Monroe Doctrine as formulated in the presidential message of December, 1823, was "aimed exclusively against Russian imperialism." Dr. Davids is probably right in saying that the Administration's fears about Russian colonization on the Pacific Coast were less than the fears aroused by the efforts of Spain to regain her colonies. The fact, however, remains that the first enunciation of the principle of the Monroe Doctrine as the policy of the United States was addressed to Russia and not to the world in general, as in Monroe's message.

Horse Show Team

We are the biggest and richest country, yet we are not big enough to support an American show team to take part in the biggest horse show in America held recently in Madison Square Garden in New York City.

Canada sent a team, France a team and Mexico a wonderfully trained team, not only to the Garden but to the international show at Harrisburg, Pa., and the royal winter fair at Toronto, Canada, but America none, although it had made a good showing in the Olympics abroad this past summer.

We still have men who would be only too glad to see another good Army team represent us again, and take their place with the other nations.

HORSEWOMAN.
Vienna, Va.

New Roles For Nurses

By Malvina Lindsay

Shortage Solution

WHO WILL nurse us in the future continues as urgent a problem as who will teach our children. Significantly the growing shortage of both nurses and teachers seems to stem largely from the same cause—the lack of social worth both are made to feel.

The recent report of Robert E. Goodwin, director of Employment Security, that the country needs 40,000 more nurses at once (irrespective of defense needs), and will require a minimum of 40,000 more in the next three to five years to staff new hospital facilities, comes at a time when a thoroughly worked out proposal for doing something about the nurse scarcity is receiving wide circulation.

Some revealing trends in American life crop up in the report, *Nursing for the Future*, prepared by Dr. Esther Lucille Brown, and recently published by the Russell Sage Foundation. One is the growing need for nurses capable of giving patients emotional as well as physical care—a hark-back on a scientific basis to the old angel of mercy tradition of ministry to the sick.

ANOTHER is the need of Americans to feel in the practice of their vocations that no ceiling looms over them, that they have a chance to "get somewhere." Still another is the deeply rooted desire of persons in most professional and skilled pursuits for self-esteem based on public respect and understanding.

While innumerable suggestions as to what ought to be done to get more and better nurses have been put forward by doctors, hospital authorities, nursing executives, public officials and others, the Russell Sage report represents the most thorough approach yet made to the problem. It is based on a major study of nursing prepared for the National Nursing Council. The author, Dr. Brown, is head of the Russell Sage Foundation's department of studies in the professions.

It is evident from this report that the public needs to revolutionize its thinking about nurses in much the same way it needs to get a new conception of the role of the teacher. This will be especially necessary as the mental and emotional treatment of sickness becomes increasingly important. In this field the role of the sensitive, intelligent nurse becomes as important as that of the doctor.

A revolution in nursing education is proposed in the report. Professional nurses would be trained in university nursing schools as physicians are trained in university medical schools. Doctors would take nurses more into partnership—having in the past largely failed, the report points out, to take advantage of the aid nurses could be. In hospitals professional nurses would be freed of many time-consuming details so they could give more time to skilled and highly technical care of patients.

WHO THEN would do the so-called dirty work, or as the report states it, "the simpler nursing functions"? Or would patients suffer for lack of these services while nurses pursued their highflown duties?

The report proposes that non-professional nurses do this general bedside nursing, as indeed the practical nurse is doing increasingly in homes. The growing demand for practical nursing is opening new economic opportunities to many women unable to get the long technical training required of the professional nurse.

But the non-professional nurse, the report points out, should also have approved training and opportunities to "go on." Since such nurses will be needed on an increasing scale—even if no greater emergency than our present armed "peace" arises—the public here again is called upon to give throught and financial aid to this problem. For much of the training of the non-professional nurse will come from public vocational schools. Training in this field of nursing has been greatly neglected—largely because people do not bother to think about their nursing needs until they become ill.

Just as personality and character are being increasingly emphasized in the teacher so they are in the potential nurse. Typical of the growing emphasis on the intangibles in the medical, as in most professions, is Dr. Brown's plea that nurses be trained in an environment "sufficiently free and permissive for the nurse to have an opportunity to grow toward the gentleness, kindness, inner quietude and security, and sensitivity essential for performing the healing art."

Spy Investigation

A Communication

I HOPE you will grant me space in which to answer the letter you published on December 13 from Zechariah Chafee, jr., of Cambridge, Mass. To me, his letter is astounding since, in my opinion, it designedly reflects on the integrity of every member of the House Committee on Un-American Activities.

Point 1. Mr. Chafee states that the committee was on its last legs before the Hiss-Chambers affair broke, that its chairman is under indictment, that "other members of the committee" were defeated on November 2, that the President is hostile to the committee and that it is likely that the next House will abolish the committee or curtail its appropriations. Then he states: "Is it possible that the real purpose of the present activities of the committee is not to save the country, but to save the committee?"

My answer is: The committee has made some mistakes in the past. The President is hostile to the committee. But it is my belief that the committee's funds and powers will not and should not be curtailed. I resent the above question as worded by Mr. Chafee simply because it suggests that all members of the committee are basically dishonest men who delved into the Hiss-Chambers affair for the sole reason of prolonging the life of the committee. That suggestion is unfair and untrue.

Furthermore, when Mr. Chafee says that "other members of the committee" were defeated in November, a careless reader would be justified in inferring that "all" members were defeated. Actually, six of the nine members were reelected to the House; one was elected to the Senate, and two were defeated.

Point 2. Mr. Chafee questions whether the committee deserves "much credit" for the discovery of the stolen documents. He suggests that William Marbury, counsel for Alger Hiss, was solely responsible for bringing to light the fact that Mr. Chambers possessed some documents which had been copied on a typewriter. Mr. Chafee adds: "If it had not been for Marbury, the committee would apparently have discovered nothing."

I believe that if Mr. Chafee knew the facts he would know that Mr. Marbury, in the pretrial hearing in Baltimore of the libel suit of Mr. Hiss against Whittaker Chambers, was amazed when a question he put to Mr. Chambers brought out the fact that Mr. Chambers had some documents which might serve to corroborate his charges against Mr. Hiss. The committee freely acknowledges the value of the lead thus produced as a result of Mr. Marbury's question, but it has strong reason to question, by reasons I shall cite, the inference drawn by Mr. Chafee that Mr. Marbury is the only one who deserves credit.

Point 3. Mr. Chafee states (a) that the committee members are "a stupid bunch of investigators" if they did not learn about the documents long ago, or (b) that they did know about them all during the summer, in which case its members were "grossly delinquent" in leaving them in Mr. Chambers' possession without reporting the matter to the State Department or to the Department of Justice.

My answer is that the committee did not know about the documents. With Mr. Chafee's hindsight, of course, it seems that the "stupid bunch of investigators" might well be chided for not having been able to read Mr. Chambers' mind or to obtain the documents before they did. However, there are nine members of the committee and it has five investigators. The Department of Justice with its thousands of agents did not discover the existence of the documents despite the fact that Mr. Chambers made charges concerning Mr. Hiss and others to Administration officials over nine years ago. Would Mr. Chafee say that they, too, were "a stupid bunch of investigators?"

POINT 4. Mr. Chafee asks why the microfilms were obtained from Mr. Chambers by the Un-American Activities Committee and not by the Department of Justice. He states correctly that the existence of the Baltimore typewritten set of documents was reported to the Department of Justice immediately after the Baltimore hearing. He errs in suggesting that Mr. Marbury alone reported the matter. Richard Cleveland, the attorney for Mr. Chambers, and Judge W. Calvin Chestnut deserve equal credit with Mr. Marbury for calling in the Department of Justice.

The fact is indisputable that the Department of Justice took no action for two weeks after it got the typewritten documents to determine whether Mr. Chambers had additional material. The committee decided that since Mr. Chambers had produced some material, he might have other material. Therefore, it served a subpena on him—after the Department of Justice had had two weeks in which to act and had not acted—and obtained the microfilms.

Point 5. Mr. Chafee asks, "If these documents really contained top secrets why then were these vital matters left in the hands of a bunch of blabbing Congressmen?" and why they were not "kept inside the Department of Justice and left to a grand jury, which is the natural method when a serious crime is involved.

My answer is that many things have happened to convince members of the committee that the Department of Justice has been anything but diligent in its investigation of the entire Hiss-Chambers matter. I firmly believe that the whole inquiry would have died if the Department of Justice had been able to smother it and if it had not been for the work of the committee in bringing the facts into the open.

POINT 6. Mr. Chafee asks if it is possible that most of the documents are not of "much importance or that many of them are not genuine."

My answer is that the State Department itself acknowledges that the documents are indeed genuine. Furthermore, the State Department has refused to authorize the release of many of the documents on the ground that their release even 10 years after they were written would endanger the Nation's security. This is certainly strong evidence of how important they must have been at the time they were stolen from the State Department and turned over to a confessed Soviet agent.

Point 7. Mr. Chafee asks if it is possible that the microfilms were made very recently.

My answer is that we have sworn testimony from Mr. Keith Lewis, Washington representative of the Eastman Kodak Co., that the films were manufactured in 1937. Does Mr. Chafee question the integrity of Mr. Lewis as he seems throughout his letter to question the integrity of members of Congress:

Point 8. Mr. Chafee asks: "Is not Chambers completely discredited now?" Mr. Chafee adds: "It is hard to see that anything he says against Hiss should be believed."

My answer is that Mr. Chambers, of course, stands convicted by his own words. But it is not a question of taking his word alone against Hiss. The real question is to determine by all possible means of investigation whether Mr. Chambers, discredited though he may be in some respects, is telling the truth in others.

As Congressman F. Edward Hebert of Louisiana, a Democrat, said once during the hearing: "Show me a police department that does not have a stoolpigeon and I will show you a police department that does not get results." Mr. Chafee as a law professor should be the first to recognize the truth of this statement. Mr. Chambers is certainly an informer in this case, but that should not destroy all belief in his story if through that story other facts can be developed which support it.

POINT 9. Mr. Chafee really winds up and lets go in his ninth and final point. He asks: "Is there not something fishy about the whole affair?" He states that the issue as to whether Chambers or Hiss was a perjurer was "left hanging on trivial controversies about the sale of a battered Ford, etc." He asks, "Was not the probability of a hearing (on the microfilms) known to the committee before Representative Nixon left for Panama, so that his return on a Government plane which took him off his ship is simply deliberate melodrama?"

I would like to divide my comment on this into several parts. Everyone acknowledges that many aspects of the investigation look "fishy." But who is responsible for that? Is it Mr. Chambers, who has told an astounding story but has not been tripped up on any major points? Is it the many individuals who refused to testify—on the grounds of self-incrimination—whether they knew Mr. Chambers or Mr. Hiss?

Is it President Truman, who says first that everything possible should be done to determine who stole the secret and confidential documents, and in the next breath terms the House inquiry "a red herring?" Or is it the Department of Justice, which has given the committee cause to believe that it is more interested in "nailing" Mr. Chambers than it is in learning the whole truth about those who made Mr. Chambers' work possible.

Mr. Chafee ridicules "the trivial controversies about the sale of a battered Ford." I would like to ask Mr. Chafee whether he has read the complete transcript of the committee hearings in August and September. He would discover that Mr. Hiss had been twice questioned by the Federal grand jury, once by the Federal Bureau of Investigation and also by other individuals. Never once did any of these examinations bring out the fact that he knew Whittaker Chambers or anyone by any name who might be Whittaker Chambers.

The House committee was the first to establish the link between Alger Hiss and a "George Crosley," who turned out to be Whittaker Chambers. That fact would not, in my opinion, have been learned if it had not been for the tangle documentary evidence about the existence of what Mr. Chafee chooses to call "a battered Ford" that was involved in "trivial controversies."

THREE. Mr. Chafee suggests that my return by plane from a ship was "simply deliberate melodrama." That, of course, can only be interpreted as a deliberate reflection on my integrity. I shall answer it in these words:

My wife and I had left on the first vacation we had been able to get in four years. I knew nothing about the existence of the microfilms or the probability of a hearing on them before I left. I would have been satisfied to let other members of the committee handle this inquiry in my absence, but it was at their urgent request, made because of my personal knowledge of previous facets of the investigation, that I interrupted my vacation and flew back.

Finally, and without wishing to indulge in what Mr. Chafee calls "melodrama," may I make my personal position clear? I love our country. I was on active duty with the United States Navy from August, 1942, to January, 1946. My oath as a Congressman binds me to do all that I can to help and protect our country. I believe I have established in my life in and out of Congress a reputation for honesty.

I acknowledge that in times past I and other members of the committee may have been guilty of making mistakes in conducting our hearings. These mistakes should be admitted and corrected. I wish to point out in that connection that I accepted assignment to the committee only after giving definite notice that I would not be a party to smears or witch hunts in which the accused were not given fair treatment. I believe I have maintained that attitude.

To me, the one fact that is all-important to the welfare of the United States in this entire investigation is this: Someone stole highly-secret and confidential documents from the State Department and passed copies to an admitted Communist agent. I believe that our country wants to know, and is entitled to know, who stole the documents, how long the one particular group of thieves operated, and whether the secrets of our Nation are being protected today.

RICHARD NIXON,
Representative from California.
Washington.

Calling Washington

By Marquis Childs

CARE For Christmas

OKLAHOMA CITY. — In Charles Dickens' immortal *Christmas Carol* the miserly and embittered Scrooge was made, if it were possible, more bitter and more mean by the jollity and gaiety that go with Christmas. When his poor but warm-hearted nephew came to wish him well on Christmas Eve, Scrooge delivered himself of a blast meant to wither all good will.

Childs

"'Merry Christmas!'" said Scrooge. "Out upon Merry Christmas! What's Christmas time to you but a time for paying bills without money; a time for finding yourself a year older, but not an hour richer? A time for balancing your books and having every item in 'em through a round dozen of months presented dead against you?

"If I could work my will," said Scrooge indignantly, "every idiot who goes about with 'Merry Christmas' on his lips should be boiled with his own pudding and buried with a stake of holly through his heart. He should."

Scrooge's thrust about paying bills without money strikes home in this year of inflation. It sometimes seems that the spirit of Christmas is more and more corrupted by lavish giving and overlavish observance. To find the money to pays the bills makes Scrooges out of many.

BUT THERE is one gift that will bring a rich reward. It can mean a sense of sharing, of true giving such as is too often lost in the commercialization of exchanging expensive, and often useless, presents.

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Oh, of course, the Germans brought it on themselves, you can say. But the children had no part of that. They knew as little about what called down the ruin and misery upon them as would children anywhere.

The currency reform in the western zone has meant new hardships for many. Nearly half the students in German universities have had to leave. The need is great in Austria. In France the continuing pinch of grave inflation causes acute suffering among millions. The countries in Europe where conditions are relatively normal for almost every citizen are still the exception rather than the rule.

Unfortunately, voluntary giving through CARE and other channels has greatly fallen off. There is a complacent assurance that the Government, through the European Cooperation Administration, is seeing to all that. Add to this the fact of our own inflation, which makes us feel that we have nothing left over and indeed scarcely enough to go around.

BUT EVEN if it means a real sacrifice, such a gift seems to me to be supremely important. That, after all, is the lesson of Scrooge. When the three spirits had wrought their transformation in Scrooge's character and he began to do all the generous things he had never done before, the joy was his; the deep abiding satisfaction was his.

Whatever its actual contribution to the welfare of Europe, voluntary giving by American citizens is one of the few links with that other world. We here in America are so cut off from that world and from the spiritual and political currents that have come out of misery and suffering. In this there is a peril. We shall find increasingly that we speak different and alien languages. With its ever-accelerated tempo of spending, we shall take it more and more for granted that the Government is tidying up Europe. And if it isn't, then where is all that money going?

But that is not enough. Understanding is essential, and not by just a few Government officials at the top.

There are indications that Europe has reached a kind of plateau of recovery. The upsurge that came in the immediate aftermath of the war seems for the time at least to have spent itself. More than ever, comprehension is necessary of the toll of the long, dark years of the war. CARE is a slender bridge across the water. Ten dollars sent to CARE, Washington, D. C., will work magic in a European household. It will mean things like chocolate, honey, rice, raisins—things that most Europeans never see—besides substantial foods.

Sending the huge prize turkey around to the family of his poor clerk was the kind of joy and reward for Scrooge that we, in our time, could experience by sending a CARE package to a needy family in Europe.

Off The Record

By Ed Reed

"Thank goodness, I've led a clean life—they've given me a harp!"

Czech Aides Charged In Death of 28 Pigs

Prague, Czechoslovakia, Dec. 15 (U.P.).—Two agriculture officials today faced criminal prosecution as accessories in the death of 28 nationalized pigs.

An announcement said the pigs caught cold as a result of being shipped too soon after being inoculated. At the farm, they received insufficient care and eventually died.

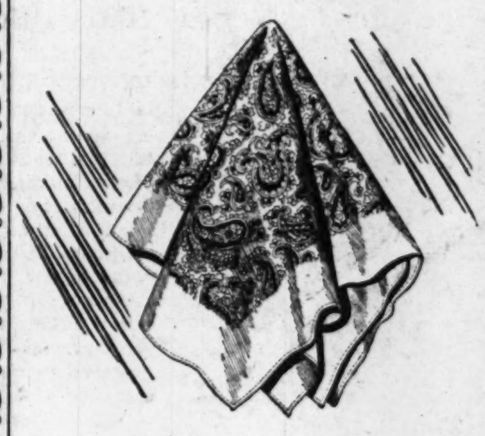
The director of the cooperative and the director of the farm were indicted.

Planes Go to Riders On Snow-Covered Field

New York, Dec. 15 (NYHT).—The airplanes came to the passengers on La Guardia Field today. Pan American World Airways said that, because of the wet snow blanketing the field, passengers were not required to walk to its outbound transocean planes.

The planes were towed into the huge hangar adjoining the terminal building, and passengers and crew walked from the terminal into the hangar. Mail and cargo also were loaded in the hangar, then the planes were towed back to the runways.

Christmas Gift Suggestion



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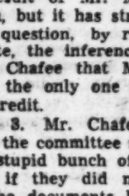

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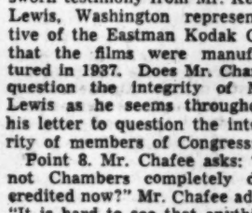

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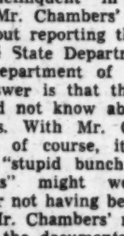

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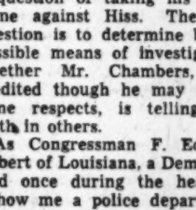

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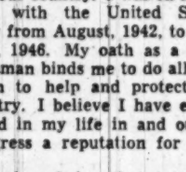

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Floor Fight Due Today in Farm Price Support Row

By John W. Ball
Post Reporter

Atlantic City, N. J., Dec. 15.—The American Farm Bureau Federation prepared the way today for a battle on the floor of the convention over the highly controversial subject of price supports for farm products Thursday.

After four days of long hearings, the resolutions committee prepared a measure ducking the subject. Instead of telling its executive committee what the Federation wants, the resolution would give that committee what the federation wants, termining what it will ask of Congress. That resolution comes up today.

The resolution was a part of victory for the Southern recalcitrants who have urged the federation go on record for a full 90 per cent of parity instead of the present Hope-Aiken bill which would revert price supports to a sliding scale, ranging from 60 to 90 per cent, dependent upon supplies and planting controls, after 1949. They succeeded in getting the resolutions committee to abandon its program of repeating its indorsement for a year ago of the formula of the Aiken bill.

Hears Brannan, Stassen

While the resolutions committee was battling long hours over the program the federation is to ask of the next Congress, the conference heard:

1. Secretary of Agriculture Brannan plead for "sound, restrained, and responsible action" and for the need at this time "for a sense of proportion.

2. Harold E. Stassen, president of the University of Pennsylvania and former seeker of the Republican presidential nomination, declare that he has always favored price supports based on parity. "I never made a speech or comment to the contrary," he declared, and added: "In the recent campaign there were a number of gross misrepresentations of the farm policy of political parties and individuals," and also a number of extreme promises made."

Analyzes Election Victory

Brannan told the delegates that "all of us in Agriculture have new and heavy obligations for sound, restrained and responsible action. The election returns and the analysis of them are heady stuff."

Brannan attributed the Democratic victory to:

1. Farmers in the corn belt were disturbed by the restriction of Commodity Credit Corporation storage authority.

2. Wheat farmers were disappointed by the failure of Congress to adopt the international wheat agreement.

3. Farmers everywhere felt the need for specific reassurance on future price supports at levels which would help the farmer get fair returns and protect against a "farm-fed depression."

4. Farmers believe in soil conservation, cooperatives and rural electrification, and did not like the record of the Eightieth Congress on those matters.

Net Has Turned Downward

However, Brannan said, new factors have to be considered. "Net farm income has turned downward," he said. "Prices paid by farmers are staying high and some have continued to rise in recent months, while prices of farm products have gone down sharply."

"I consider it my job," he said, "to help obtain and maintain parity at all times. If there is to be any downward adjustment of the national economy, we are not going to start this time with the farmer.

"As we know, farm prices tend to swing widely up and down while production holds firm or rises. In contrast, nonfarm prices tend to hold firm while production swings from high to low and back."

Urges New Look at Law

Brannan urged a "new look" at the present Hope-Aiken law. Recalling that it was passed "in the wee small hours of the morning" of the last session, he added: "History shows that adoption of the bill was a political expedient." "That," he said, "is the reason for reexamining the legislation very closely."

He called for legislation granting CCC authority to maintain adequate storage facilities" as necessary to a successful price support program." He urged legislation that would increase supplies of certain products, particularly livestock—calling grass and livestock production "a necessary part of better land management leading to soil conservation."

Price supports, he said, "are basic to the whole farm program, but they represent only one part of the farm program we need. We must concern ourselves not only with prices but with markets." He spoke of programs to improve the diets of low-income families, and urged that we "reenact standby authority for larger such programs." He urged consideration of trade agreements in wheat and other commodities to stabilize world trade.

Stassen told the convention he plans to give farm problems his "continuing study" in the coming years. The farm program for the country, he said, should be based on five objectives:

1. To assure to agriculture a fair share of the high national income in exchange for the production of an abundant supply of farm products.

2. To conserve and improve the land.

3. To make farm homes more attractive.

4. To advance the well-being of the people on the farms.

5. To strengthen and develop the rural community centers.

"It is my view," he said, "that for a normal crop there should be an affirmative obligation to support the price at 90 per cent of parity. When bumper crops cause a heavy carryover, the flexible support should slide down by degrees to 70 per cent.

"I also consider it desirable that a method be developed under which a small portion of the normal crop produced on a family-sized farm might be awarded a supplemental benefit, if the general support has fallen to a 70 per cent basis."

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Snyder Predicts Era of Prosperity

Financial Structure Of U. S. Declared In Excellent Shape

Secretary of the Treasury Snyder yesterday predicted "an incomparable era of national prosperity in the years ahead."

He sounded this optimistic note twice yesterday—first at the Statler Hotel here in addressing the American Municipal Association and then again last night at the Waldorf Astoria Hotel, in New York.

In his afternoon address here, Snyder said there is no evidence to indicate this country is on the brink of a business recession, but warned:

"Our most important economic problem is to insure a continued high level of national prosperity by preventing over-buying, over-borrowing and over-expansion which have been the direct cause of previous business recessions."

Financial Structure Strong

He said the United States now "is enjoying the greatest prosperity in its history. Its financial structure is in excellent condition. And there is no doubt that the efforts made to maintain firmness in the Government bond market have contributed materially to this situation."

He pointed out that despite depressing influences and strong competition, prices of municipal bonds have rested on a generally stable foundation since the early part of 1948, reflecting the firm market support policy adopted by the Government to maintain stability in the Treasury bond market.

Snyder said it is of world-wide importance that stability be maintained in Government bond prices.

He said "the financial, economic and political planning of most of the democratic world is now to a great extent dependent upon the financial stability of the United States."

Snyder declared Government support of the bond market is not inflationary as claimed by some because support purchases of bonds by the Federal Reserve have for the most part been offset by sales of short-term issues.

He pointed out the dangers if the bond market got out of control and there was "a consequent impairment of confidence in our financial situation" bringing about "serious consequences both in this country and throughout the world."

The Treasury Secretary said that despite some severe shortages still existing and a strong business fundation, "voices of apprehension" are again being heard.

"I see no evidence," he said, "of the unbalanced conditions which, in the past, have typically preceded a recession."

He declared it is not necessary that our present levels of production come down, for we are in a "growing economy" and have 25 million more people than in 1929.

Snyder said the Federal Government and the State and municipal governments can contribute to stabilizing the economy by distributing new public construction programs so as to offer minimum competition with other demands for labor and materials.

"Confidence" was the keynote of the Secretary's address in New York City.

"Economic development in any nation," he stated, "must be based upon a foundation of confidence—confidence of the people in their future, in the security of their jobs, in the integrity of their lawmakers, in the impartiality of their courts, and in the soundness of their banking system."

Nation Seen Confident

Since the war, he said, there has been "a remarkable basic confidence throughout the Nation."

"I intend to continue a firm course in maintaining confidence in the Government's credit," he said.

Snyder admitted there are "certain similarities" between the present economic condition and that of the mid 192s, but added that in the latter case "speculative excesses were allowed to develop and the panic of 1929 was the consequence."

"It is highly important for the future of our country," he said, "that we heed the lessons of the past."

Parts Shortage Halts Output of Bendix Washers

Clyde, Ohio, Dec. 15 (AP).—Clyde Porcelain Steel Co. announced today it has temporarily stopped making Bendix washing machines because of a parts shortage. It has laid off 1200 of its 1500 workers.

Vice President R. W. Willey attributed the shortage to a strike at the Clark Grave Vault Co. of Columbus, Ohio, which supplies most of the parts. Only Bendix driers are now in production, he said, since parts for those come from another company.

Even before the parts shortage developed, however, the firm had started retrenching, Valley said, and 400 employes were dismissed a fortnight ago.

During October, he declared, schedules called for 1800 washers daily and the firm was averaging 1600. For this month, however, schedules were reduced to 900 a day, he added.

The firm is the sole producer of Bendix washing machines.

GM Plant to Lay Off 3000 to 3500 Workers

Oshawa, Ont., Dec. 15 (AP).—Between 3000 and 3500 employes of the General Motors plant here will be laid off this week and next while the plant prepares for conversion to the 1949 model automobiles, the company said today. All those laid off will receive Christmas pay envelopes.

The plant employs 4500 workers, at least one-fourth of whom will be used to convert assembly lines and on maintainance work.

Rheem Firm to Close Birmingham Plant

Birmingham, Ala., Dec. 15 (AP). Rheem Manufacturing Co. announced today it will close its Birmingham plant. A spokesman said present employment is "in the hundreds."

Since the war, the plant produced gas heaters, fuel tanks, boilers and related items.

Education Department Gets Hollander Award

Baltimore, Dec. 15 (AP).—The Baltimore Department of Education yesterday received the second annual Sidney Hollander Foundation award for "an outstanding contribution toward the achievement of equal rights and opportunities for Negroes in Maryland."

The department was cited for its inclusion of a Negro member on its board of school commissioners, appointment of a Negro as one assistant schools superintendent, and equalizing teachers' salaries for both races.

Profits Tax Seen as Foe to Growth

An oil man told Congress yesterday that an excess profits tax would have the same effect as a law forbidding industrial expansion.

Robert G. Dunlop, president of the Sun Oil Co., told a Senate-House Economic Committee that talks of such a tax are causing oil men to think twice before improving or expanding their plants.

The committee is looking into record-breaking business profits to see if Congress should step up taxes on business next fiscal year.

Senator O'Mahoney (D., Wyo.), a committee member, who is a strong advocate of an excess profits tax, told reporters that business is "trying to soften the blow" of possible tax increases by claiming profits are not as high as reported.

Dunlop cited examples to support his claim that an excess profits tax, such as operated during the war, would hold back postwar expansion.

Inventories Higher

He said the consuming public wants, first of all, more gasoline and oil. He said the oil industry has used its profits to increase production, and that as a result the country's inventories of gasoline, kerosene and fuel oil are 72 million barrels higher than a year ago. Crude oil stocks have incerased 11 million barrels in the same period, he said.

Obviously, he said, higher prices have helped increase supplies.

President Eugene Holman of the Standard Oil Co. of New Jersey declared the oil industry never could have met the demands placed upon it if its profits had been smaller.

UNION—*From Page 1*

Store Union Told to Quit

and have delayed compliance at least until that union's convention next March

In New York, Wolchok and other officers of the union were not available for comment tonight on Murray's action.

Murray gave Wolchok, a so-called right wing union leader, no alternative and made no provision for his union's continuance in the CIO.

Murray acted after a meeting of the nine vice presidents of the CIO Tuesday. They voted unanimously that "immediate steps would have to be taken to preserve and protect the position of the CIO" in the department store field.

Murray said that the vice presidents "gave careful consideration to the present state of lack of organization of workers in the department store, wholesale and retail industry."

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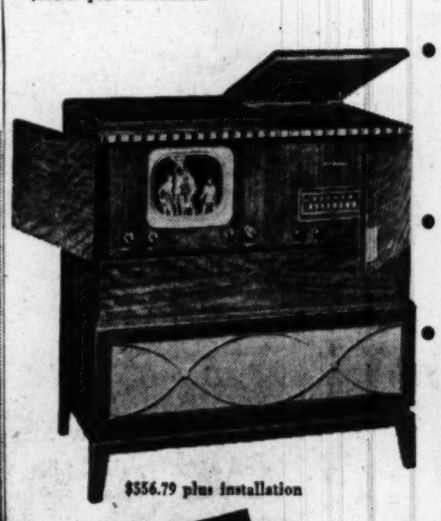
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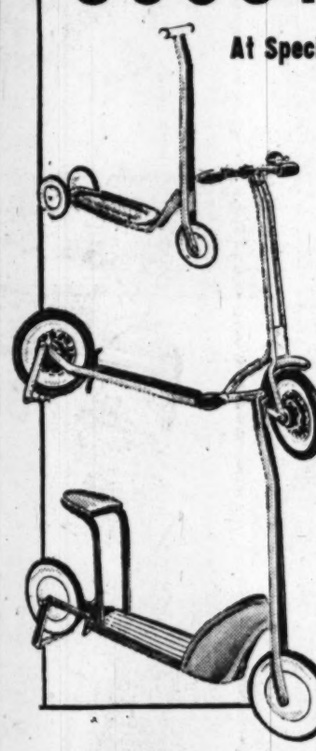
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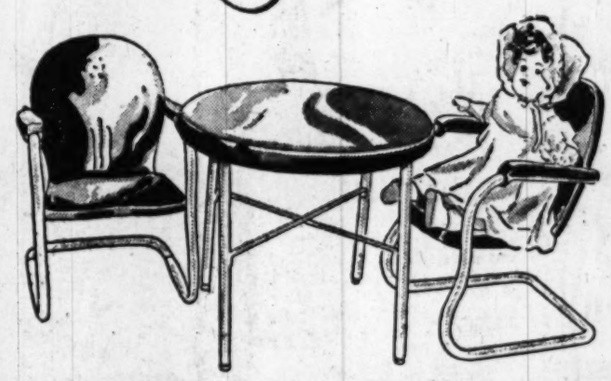
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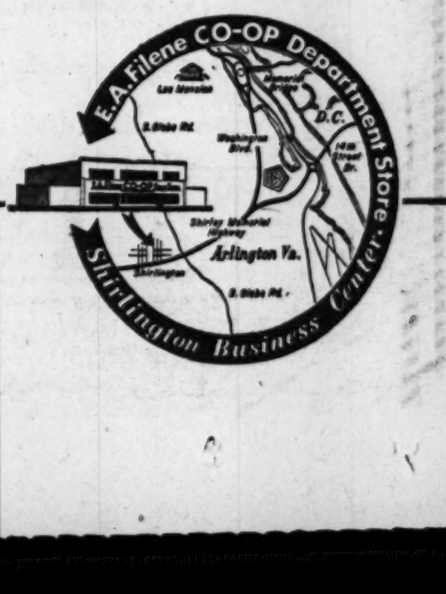

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Superway Planned to Replace Humps and Bumps of Glebe Road

DIAGRAMMED AERIAL VIEW SHOWS HOW NEW DIVIDED HIGHWAY WILL REPLACE MILE-LONG JACK-KNIFE SECTION OF S. GLEBE RD.

Lee Highway Traffic Control Experiment, South Glebe Road Improvement Are Planned

By Don Olesen
Post Reporter

Motorists who regularly commute through Arlington County are due for two surprises next year:

1. The State is going to replace the bumps, jacknife turns and cowpath characteristics of a mile-long stretch of S. Glebe rd. with a divided highway.

2. Lee hwy. commuters will be made guinea pigs in a unique program of traffic control along a mile of the State road from Rosslyn to N. Danville st.

Details of the S. Glebe rd. improvement were released yesterday by Arlington Highway Engineer Clifton Stoneburner.

Two 22-Foot Roadways

The two 22-foot, divided roadways will run from Columbia Pike to S. 20th st. in the Arna Valley apartment development, ducking under Shirley Memorial hwy. on the way.

The improvement will eliminate two right-angle turns in the present Glebe rd., which is only two lanes wide.

Stoneburner said the State Department of Highways had tentatively set next May as the date it will advertise for bids on the new highway.

Necessary right-of-way still must be obtained, Stoneburner said.

The traffic control experiment on Lee Highway is called "lane equalization."

K. G. McWane, traffic and planning engineer of the State Department of Highways described it this way:

Special traffic signals will be placed at probably 11 points along the three-lane highway. At each point will be three lights, one above each highway lane.

During the morning traffic rush to Washington, town-bound drivers will get the green light on two of the lanes, but west-bound motorists will be banned from using the center lane.

During the day, the center lane light will change to amber, allowing drivers in both directions to use it in passing. And in the evening rush, west-bound traffic will get the green light in two lanes.

Although a similar system is used on New York City's Triborough Bridge, McWane said this was the first instance he knew of in which such controls had been considered for an open highway.

McWane said he was unable to estimate cost of installing the signals, but estimated they should be ready "in a few months." Meantime, he emphasized, the public will have to be educated in their use.

Judge Praises Prisoner Before Passing Sentence

Springfield, Mo., Dec. 15 (AP).—A young Ohio man who once used an airplane to flee prison yesterday was sentenced to serve an additional seven years in the Federal penitentiary.

Charles Lee McIntosh, 24, who flew a stolen private plane from here to Adamsville, Tenn., a year ago, heard Federal Judge Richard M. Duncan praise his intelligence and ability, then pronounce a five-year sentence for flying the craft out of the State. Two years more were added for escaping the U. S. Medical Center here.

Jilted Suitor Wants $3100 in Gems Back

Media, Pa., Dec. 15 (U.P.).—Roderick L. Bullen, 43, president of a paper products company, has filed suit to recover $3100 worth of jewelry he said he gave to a divorcee who promised to marry him but who remarried her former husband instead.

Bullen said he gave Mrs. Jane Hanna Neuweiler, 35, a $2200 diamond ring and an emerald pendant valued at $900 in April, 1947, after she had promised to marry him.

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The Colorado is the second longest river in the United States.

Al Jolson to Quit Radio

Hollywood, Dec. 15 (AP).—Al Jolson adds another note to the current radio chaos—he says he's quitting, too.

"Radio is in a stagnant situation," he said yesterday. "The people don't like it and the ham on this end doesn't like it, either."

The Mammy-singer will become the third big star to retire from the air. Fred Allen says he will quit after next spring to write a book. Edgar Bergen will be through after Christmas, to "sit back and look over the situation" until next September.

"Bergen is right," Jolson declared. "We work too hard, and for what? I'm making $5500 a week on the air show and I'm lucky if I can keep 10 per cent of it. And those capital gains deals don't help much."

He added that the weekly radio formula has gotten him down.

"Every week Oscar Levant insults me, using words that I don't understand—and I don't think he does, either," he said. "It's a rut."

Anglo-Spanish Trade Talks End 'Successfully'

London, Dec. 15 (U.P.).—The treasury's economic information union has announced tonight the "successful" conclusion of financial and trade conversations between Britain and Spain at Madrid.

The announcement said that "it is hoped that trade and payments in both directions will flow freely in the future."

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The United States Department of Agriculture maintains a collection of approximately 8500 varieties of wheat, from every country where wheat is grown.

Lost Will, $12,000,000 Estate Stumps London Searchers

London, Dec. 15 (U.P.).—If Sherlock Holmes could only walk the few steps from Baker st. to Grosvenor sq. he would find a mystery worthy of his mettle.

That goes for other fictional detection wizards, including Perry Mason, Hercule Poirot, The Shadow and The Saint.

But at that it might be unfair to ask them to examine: The Case of the Missing Multimillion Dollar Will. Truth is so much stranger than fiction in this instance that even Sherlock wisely might prefer to go back to plucking his violin.

In one of those typical British town mansions whose severe facades mushroom back into Edwardian splendor, lived Mrs. Daisy Alexander, an elderly eccentric who stuffed her straggly hair under a lace cap and prowled her great salons in a worn blue housecoat.

Dies After Bombing

She was the daughter of Isaac Singer, the sewing machine magnate. In 1940 a German bomb demolished an adjoining room and Mrs. Alexander died soon thereafter, apparently from shock.

Barry Cohen, her lawyer, took up the task of clearing up her estate and was puzzled at the absence of a will he knew she made within a year or two of her death. The only instrument he could find was dated 1909 and disposed of only two million dollars.

Mrs. Alexander, he knew, was worth between twelve million and sixteen million dollars and her estate was increasing by hundreds of thousands of dollars a year.

But the will could not be found. Then the search rocketed right out of the realms of probability. Cohen announced he was looking for a pet parakeet named Bob who was a "fluent talker" and pet of Mrs. Alexander. It was hoped that by placing him in the mansion he somehow might lead to the will. But Bob was found dead and stuffed.

Mine Detector Used

A government ministry gave permission to use a mine detector on the floors and walls of the house. It found a hollow place, but nothing was in it.

A spiritualist wrote in that the will was hidden either in a tall black vase or a Louis XIV gilt settee, covered with yellow silk, with a crest of musical instruments.

Cohen would have discounted the letter except that those objects had been in the house during Mrs. Alexander's lifetime and the spiritualist hardly could have known about them. A long search of rummage shops produced the vase, which was found to have a hollow bottom, but it was empty.

The six-legged settee has not yet been found.

Voodoo Rejected

A West African witch doctor started for Britain to use voodoo but was headed off. A member of a cult called "Dawson's Pendulum" offered to use a secret pendulum device which, he said, would stop as it pointed out the hiding place.

Meanwhile, claimants for the Alexander fortune began mounting up. Letters from alleged relatives came from the United States. Two of those who claimed relationship were Buffalo, N. Y., sisters, Mrs. Paul Houck and Mrs. Lurline Fischer.

Cohen then started looking for Chinese bronze dog figures whose movable teeth were said to conceal a hiding place. The ornaments were disposed of, however, and cannot be located.

British Set Coal Peak

London, Dec. 15 (AP).—The Ministry of Fuel announced that Britain's coal output last week was 4,405,500 tons, the highest in eight years. Production for the first 49 weeks of this year was 10,950,000 tons ahead of the corresponding period in 1947.

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Canada Will Ease Trade Bars Jan. 1

Ottawa, Dec. 15 (AP).—Canada announced today that she is dropping many of the trade restrictions imposed under her austerity program a year ago.

Beginning January 1, Finance Minister Douglas Abbott said, the government will remove its bans on the importation of many foods and manufactured items and will ease the restrictions on personal purchases by Canadians visiting the United States.

The restrictions were put in force November 1947 to offset what was considered a "dangerous" shortage in U. S. dollars.

Under the new order all foods other than fresh and processed fruits will be taken off the prohibition list next July. Goods that go off the banned list now are cigars, cigarettes, paper towels, napkins and doilies, candles, lubricating oils, greases, wet-cell batteries, nonelectric signs, door frames and sashes, synthetic casings for meat, and irons, brass and bronze cases, boxes and trays.

A long list of manufactured goods was taken off the banned list and placed on a quota basis. This list included bathtubs, iron and steel plumbing fixtures, stoves, furnaces, furniture of all kinds, dressed furs, slide fasteners, umbrellas, buttons, wall paper, kitchen ware, cameras, binoculars and cocoa powder.

The government still will allow only $150 in United States funds to any Canadian visiting the United States.

Canada will do a two-way foreign trade of better than five billion dollars this year, it was indicated today. But her favorable balance of trade with the United States lasted just one month.

The statistics bureau came out with October trade figures that showed:

1. The September favorable balance—that is exports over imports—of $11,400,000 in trade with the United States was followed by an October unfavorable balance of $9,700,000. However, this compared extremely well with the deficit of $86,200,000 in October 1947, the month before the austerity program went into action.

2. Canada slashed her unfavorable United States balance from $804,500,000 to $275,400,000 in the first 10 months of 1948, as compared with the same period of 1947.

3. Over-all trade balance in October was a favorable 66 million dollars, highest of the year.

At Murder Trial

GI Screamed 'She Shot Me,' Maid Says

Marburg, Germany, Dec. 15 (U.P.).—A shapely German maid testified today that she saw Mrs. Wilma Ybarbo fire repeatedly and heard Sergt. John Ybarbo scream "she shot me!" soon after the couple had fought with their fists over the presence of another pretty fraulein in their apartment.

Liselotte (Lottie) Tessner, who worked for the Ybarbos, said the shooting occurred after the sergeant and his wife had quarrelled violently about allowing svelte Elfriede (Friedl) Krummelbein to remain in their Army billet with another soldier.

Mrs. Ybarbo, 24, first American woman to be tried for murder by a military goverment court, listened quietly to the story of how her husband was shot on the night of September 20 and died 11 days later with bullet wounds in his stomach, side, right arm and right ankle.

Women Safe on Guam, — Navy Assures Families

By the United Press

The Navy yesterday moved to allay "any undue concern" about the safety of its women employes on Guam.

Rear Admiral Leon S. Fiske, deputy governor of Guam, said he wanted to "assure the families of our civil service women on Guam that they are as safe here as they would be in their own home communities."

Tries It for Size . . .

Associated Press WIREPHOTO

"HAT TRICK"—Well, look who's got the cardinal's biretta. One of the small fry at the annual Christmas party yesterday in the New York Home for Foundlings puts it on as Francis Cardinal Spellman passes out gifts

Guam Slaying Clews Found

Agana, Guam, Dec. 15 (U.P.).—Blood-stained clothing was found today in the barracks of two men under suspicion in the brutal jungle murder of Ruth Farnsworth.

Guam Police Chief Marine Maj. John Copeland did not identify the servicemen who were being detained. The clothing was given the police by an informer, Copeland said.

Copeland confirmed that evidence led police to believe a mass assault was made on the civil service worker.

Rewards for the killer of the 27-year-old former Wac now total $2250.

It was announced that two other suspects had been released when their alibis were substantiated.

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1 in 3 Deaths Due To Heart Disease

Approximately 1 of every 3 deaths recorded in the United States last year was caused by heart disease, according to vital statistics made public yesterday by the Federal Security Agency.

Percentage-wise, diseases of the heart accounted for 31.9 per cent of the Nation's total deaths, or 460,580 out of 1,445,370 deaths recorded by the National Office of Vital Statistics, Public Health Service, FSA.

The 1947 figures represent an increase of 31,350 over the number of deaths attributed to diseases of the heart during the preceding year.

Deaths from other chronic diseases associated with advanced age also increased last year, the tables showed.

Cancer Deaths Increased

In 1947, there were 189,811 deaths from cancer and other malignant tumors, or 7806 more than in 1946; 131,039 deaths from intracranial lesions of vascular origin (strokes), or 5393 more than in 1946, and 37,515 deaths from diabetes mellitus, or 2784 more than in 1946. However, deaths from nephritis (kidney inflammations) decreased, with 80,288 recorded in 1947, or 1413 fewer than in 1946.

Mortality from the major infectious diseases set new record lows in 1947. Total figures for pneumonia and influenza (combined) decreased from 62,324 deaths in 1946 to 61,836 in 1947, and tuberculosis mortality decreased from 50,911 to 48,064 in this period.

Deaths from two of the communicable diseases of childhood, polio and measles, dropped sharply last year, according to the tables. The polio total (poliomyelitis and polioencephalitis) of 580 deaths in 1947, and the measles total of 472 were the third and second lowest, respectively, ever recorded for United States, the statisticians said.

Traffic Deaths Reduced

Deaths from whooping cough, however, rose from the record low of 1241 in 1946 to 1954 recorded last year.

Motor vehicle fatalities last year totaled 32,697 as compared with 33,411 in 1946. This marked the first decrease in annual death tolls from this cause since 1943. However, deaths from other types of accidents rose from 64,622 in 1946 to 66,882 last year.

The tables also showed that 387 more suicides were recorded last year than in 1946, 16,538 to 16,151, but that homicides decreased last year by 227, or a total of 8555 recorded in 1947 to 8783 in 1946.

Deaths from all causes in the District of Columbia last year, according to the tables, totaled 8254, with heart diseases, the leading cause, accounting for 2380. Cancer accounted for 1129 District deaths, the same tables showed.

Czechs Shift 10% Of Gov. Workers to Mines, Factories

Prague, Dev. 15 (U.P.).—The cabinet announced today that more than 10 per cent of Czechoslovakia's 640,000 government workers have been transferred from offices to mines and factories.

A communique said 65,000 persons had been affected by the shift, made in an effort to increase industrial production and reorganize public administration.

Public workers who volunteered for the transfer were given two months' pay as a bonus, while those who had to be forced to change their jobs received one month's pay, the communique said.

G. W. Professors Don Wigs and Grease Paint for 'Faculty Follies'

TRIP LIGHTLY—Prof. C. DeWitt Eldridge takes the hand of Felicia Miller in rehearsal for their stint in George Washington University's "Faculty Follies," to be staged Friday night in Lisner Auditorium. Both are members of the Department of Romance Languages

CLOSE AND HARMONIOUS—The Barber Shop Quartet of the "Faculty Follies" is composed of (from left) Profs. Roderic Davidson of History; Lawrence Folkemer of Religion; Leroy Marifield of Law, and L. Clark Keating of Romance Languages. Curtain time is 8:30 p. m.

"GORGEOUS GEORGE"—Dean Elmer Louis Kayser plays the role of Washington in the farce, based on the history of the university. His dancing partner here is Ruth Atwell, head of the Women's Physical Education Department. Show is for benefit of building fund

Concert Tour Depicted as One Sour Note

New York, Dec. 15 (NYHT).—The Forty-Niners who reached California with difficulty during the gold rush had nothing on 101 French musicians who recently completed a coast-to-coast concert tour in three buses, according to details heard here today in an arbitration hearing.

Snowstorms, desert breakdowns, lack of restrooms and shaving facilities were mentioned, as well as one "sitdown strike," occasioned by 20 musicans refusing to sleep two in a bed when the orchestra ran into a fraternal order convention at La Crosse, Wis.

The Orchestre National of France is asking about $2500 and other "intangible" damages of Jack Adams & Co., New York, concert booking managers. Adams in turn is asking $28,672.30 of the orchestra, alleging failure to live up to its contract.

Michael Halperin, attorney for the orchestra, contended Adams & Co. had at the beginning provided buses of poor quality for the 7½-week, 12,000-mile tour of the United States and Canada; that the buses were unheated, leaked rain and fumes that made the musicians sick, and that they frequently broke down.

This last, he said, was why the musicians failed to keep some appointments—and because a fourth bus carrying musical instruments sometimes didn't arrive at all.

No horns, no music, he said.

Attorney Montrose H. Massler answered that real trouble developed with the orchestra when 20 members were asked to sleep double at La Crosse, because of scarcity of hotel accommodations.

They not only refused, he said, "but 23 others joined them in protest and we had 43 men lying on the floor in the hotel lobby, creating all sorts of confusion."

Because of this incident, he said, the orchestra refused to play a scheduled matinee performance in Minneapolis the following day.

"After this experience, people stopped coming," he said.

Houses that should have paid $5000 to $6000, he said, grossed about $900.

He maintained that the booking management had advanced $45,000 on the tour, which had been arranged with the government of France as a "good will tour." The orchestra began the tour October 13 and returned to France December 8, after completing the tour through the South December 5.

[The orchestra played in Constitution Hall the evening of December 1 and its performance reflected none of its difficulties. Paul Hume, music critic of The Washington Post, called it "one of the greatest concerts in my experience."—Editor's note.]

The hearing was adjourned until 11 a. m. Friday.

Many Hotels Accept Guests Bringing Dog

New York, Dec. 15 (U.P.).—Fido can stop barking about the canine housing shortage. The welcome mat is out for dogs at more than 1000 hotels and tourist courts in this country.

The Gaines Dog Research Center lists at least two hotels or motels in every State and the District of Columbia where dogs are accepted.

At about 100 hostelries, the dog will have his own private kennel; in another 100, hotel officials provide quarters for him at nearby kennels; in the remaining 875, the owner may take the dog to his room.

Surprisingly, hotels accepting dogs outnumber tourists courts more than three to one. A single State, Louisiana, forbids keeping dogs in hotels but allows them in wayside inns.

The majority of hostelries restrict patrons accompanied by dogs in some way. Special rooms for the dog and his owner is one answer. A limit on the length of stay is another. Some accept only blind owners and seeing-eye dogs.

Few places restrict the dog because of its size. Few say anything about charging the owner extra charges or higher rates. Many ask owners to sign statements agreeing to pay for any damage to hotel property, however.

Dog-lovers are warned that their pets may be barred from hotels unless they are kept under full control at all times.

It's a good idea to carry a blanket or pillow for the animal. Hotel managers resent having hotel blankets used for dog beds. The next patron probably would not like the idea either if he found out about it.

Of course, if the animal is a St. Bernard or a Great Dane, it's an excellent thought to check with hotel authorities in advance.

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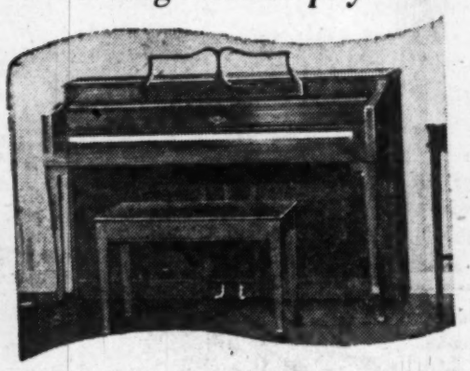

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Dixiecrats To Plan for Party Future

Jackson, Miss., Dec. 15 (U.P.)—The future of the States' Rights Party will be mapped Thursday when its leaders from 12 Southern States meet in Birmingham, Ala.

Gov. Ben Laney of Arkansas, who was named chairman of the States' Rights conference last summer, will preside.

At a meeting in Memphis shortly before election day, the States' Righters named a permanent 16-man committee to guide the future destiny of the party and selected Birmingham for the site of the first post-election meeting. At that time, the States' Righters had hopes of capturing enough votes to throw the election into the House of Representatives. The party got 39 electoral votes.

President Truman has said that every effort will be made to get the entire civil rights program enacted into law during the coming session of Congress. It was this program that resulted in creation of the States Rights Party.

The party's headquarters still functions from the second-floor offices of a tiny two-story building in downtown Jackson where a staff of four is busy answering correspondence and catching up on odds and ends left from the campaign.

South's Governors Plan Office in Washington

Savannah, Ga., Dec. 15 (AP).—Southern Governors planned today to set up permanent shop in Washington to help wage war against Federal civil rights proposals and carry the South's banner on other issues.

Several Dixie executives said a Southern Governors' bureau in the Capital was likely to spring from a resolution approved last night by the Southern Governors' conference.

The resolution deplored hostility toward the South in the rest of the country and reclared this unfavorable attitude was "created and perpetuated by untruths and half-truths."

A Southern Foundation was established to "correct" the picture and give the rest of the Nation the South's story. Several Governors told a reporter they hoped the Washington bureau would stem from this foundation program.

Several Governors said they hoped operations could begin during the congressional session starting in January. Civil rights is expected to be an issue during the session.

By the United Press

Walter Reuther, head of the CIO United Automobile Workers, said yesterday after a talk with President Truman that he hopes another outbreak of strikes can be avoided.

Asked if he expects a new wave of walkouts as a result of labor's fourth-round wage increase demands, he replied:

"I am hopeful it can be avoided. It depends on whether industry can step up (production) to meet the needs of the worker."

A less conciliatory tone was used by A. F. Whitney, president of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, after a 40-minute conference with Secretary of Labor Maurice J. Tobin.

May Ask Act Revision

He said nearly all 21 railroad unions favor closed or union shop contracts and may ask Congress to revise the Railway Labor Act to permit such agreements.

"A lot of railroad officials would have apoplexy if we asked for a closed shop," he added. "Maybe it would be a good thing if some of them did."

Reuther, a stanch and vocal supporter of Mr. Truman during the election campaign, said he and the President discussed carrying out the program outlined in the Democratic party platform. This includes repeal of the Taft-Hartley Labor-Management Act, steps to combat inflation and more and better housing.

The UAW leader said he pledged the "complete and wholehearted cooperation" of his union in winning approval of the President's legislative program.

100 Per Cent Battle Pledged

Mr. Truman, in turn, promised to "battle 100 per cent" for the basic points of the Democratic platform, he said.

Reuther, who at one time believed a third party might be needed to "weld" working people together, said that "what happened on November 2 was an important step in bringing about the realignment of the farmers and the workers."

In Wisconsin

McCarthy Faces Bar Complaint

Madison, Wis., Dec. 15 (AP).—The bar commission of his home State asked the Wisconsin Supreme Court today to discipline Senator Joseph R. McCarthy (R., Wis.) for violation of its canon of ethics.

The high court approved filing of the complaint, which, if sustained, could result in McCarthy's disbarment.

In it, the commissioners charged that the Senator violated the code in failing to resign his circuit judicial seat until after his election in 1946.

Referee to Try Issues

The high court will appoint a referee to try the issues. McCarthy was given 20 days in which to file an answer.

In Washington, McCarthy attributed the complaint to "political opposition." He said the issue had been passed upon by the voters at the time he was elected to the Senate.

"There is nothing new about this charge," McCarthy told a reporter. "It was fully aired by the opposition during my senatorial campaign. The political opposition brought action before the Wisconsin State Supreme Court, claiming the Wisconsin constitution barred a circuit court judge from running for any other office."

Court Ruling Cited

He said the State Supreme Court "decided that this constitutional provision did not apply to a candidate for the United States Senate or the House of Representatives."

"The opposition then claimed that it was unethical for a circuit court judge to run for a United States Senate seat and made this one of their principal issues in the campaign," he continued. "The voters of my State passed on this issue and elected me by a majority of a quarter of a million votes."

Council Favors 2 Alexandria Tax Changes

Alexandria City Council yesterday agreed to two changes in the city's business license ordinance suggested by the Alexandria Retail Merchants Association and Chamber of Commerce.

The council turned down three other of the 10 recommendations made by the two groups for increasing the city's revenue and equalizing the city's tax burden.

The council approved:

1. Levy of a $25 minimum regulatory tax in addition to present taxes, on all concerns doing business in the city, except those on which a regulatory tax is now imposed, those regulated by State law, and door-to-door solicitors.

2. Stationing of a license inspector in the office of the commissioner of revenue during January and February, the months when most licenses are issued.

Both action must be enacted in ordinance form before they become law.

The council turned down the following suggestions, which had been advanced by the businessmen:

1. That license fees for wholesalers be based upon purchases instead of sales.

2. That architects and surveyors, much of whose receipts go for salaries, not be taxed on the basis of straight gross receipts like other business and professional men.

3. That the basis of issuing licenses to out-of-town businesses be changed to obtain more revenue from that source. They are now taxed, like local concerns, on gross receipts.

Three other suggestions made by the businessmen had passed previously, and several others are yet to be acted upon.

Income Tax Levy Challenged

Virginia's authority to levy an income tax on Virginians maintaining residence in other States was challenged yesterday in Arlington County Court.

W. T. McKinnon, 44, of 1523 S. Kent st., Arlington, an employe of the Bureau of Engraving and Printing, was in the court, charged with failure to report to the Arlington Commissioner of Revenue and explain why he hadn't filed State and local tax returns.

One of 31 persons summoned yesterday on the same charge, McKinnon pleaded innocent, countering that the State's income tax is "unconstitutional" in his case, since he lives in South Carolina.

He said he felt the question should be taken to the Supreme Court as a test case, and although Judge Hugh Reid told him the Supreme Court already had ruled on the question, he said he felt the Supreme Court's earlier decision might be "upset."

He was ordered to appear in County Court next Wednesday for a full hearing.

Of the 30 other similar cases called yesterday, three were nolle prossed; four persons had gled returns and were given $20 suspended fines; one case was continued until next Wednesday; 16 others continued until December 29. Six defendants failed to appear, and court officials said warrants already issued for them will be served. They face fines ranging from $20 to $100.

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Cherner and Auto Inquiry Lawyer Clash

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said he operates a fleet of Ford taxies, and had them serviced at Cherner's.

William G. Talbot, 5306 Saratoga ave., Chevy Chase, Md., said he bought a Ford from Cherner in March this year, for $1617.42, traded it back for another new Ford in June, getting an allowance of $1237.13. Reddan said the trade-in was resold for $1900. Talbot said he turned in the 6-cylinder car bought in June for an 8-cylinder Ford from Cherner in October, and was allowed his full purchase price for the 6-cylinder on the trade.

$1150 Plymouth Brought $1600

John N. McCormick, 3320 Valley dr., Alexandria, Va., said he was satisfied with the $1150 allowance given him by Cherner in January this year on a 1947 Plymouth that had been in a wreck and had been repaired. Reddan said the car was resold for $1600. Later he got a 1949 Ford, trading in his first one to Cherner for $1300. Reddan said that one was resold for $1800.

Dr. Peter D. Johnson, physician, of 1461 S st. nw., said he had deposited $100 with Cherner in April 1946, never got delivery, and got a refund of his deposit Tuesday. He said it was suggested he might get a new car if he had one to trade in, but he had none.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo L. Lyons, 9412 Georgia ave, nw., told of getting a new 1949 Ford from Cherner overnight by trading in a '48 coupe. They said a $285 loan for 7 days was given by Shirlington Trust on the new car purchase. Reddan said the trade-in car allowance was $1300 and its resale price was $1900.

$1350 Trade-in Sold for $2195

E. H. Bottemiller, 4108 Nicvhols ave. se., said that on January 15 he traded in a '46 Plymouth for a Cherner Ford 8-clyinder, in "a deal satisfactory to both of us." He had wanted a 6-cylinder. Two days later he traded the 8-cylinder back to Cherner for a 6-cylinder. He was allowed his full purchase price on the "8," and a refund of some $90, the difference between "8" and "6." Reddan said the "8" for which the new price was $1561.12 was resold for $1900.

Gifford Shirley, McLean, Va., mechanic employed with Cherner, said he had bought a '48 Ford from Cherner, traded it in for a '49 Ford, and was allowed about $1350 on the trade-in. Reddan said it was sold for $2195.

In the afternoon, the subcommittee turne d to the questions of financing and insurance. Henry J. Gertler, ecretary-treasurer of the Cherner and Shirlington firms, testified practically all their insurance business goes to the U. S. Fidelity and Guaranty Co. He said commissions paid on the insurance ranged from 12.5 to 20 per cent, and went into the regular capital of the Cherner organization.

Got Insurance Commissions

John H. Pumphrey, of A. H. Baker Co., Washington agents for the U. S. Fidelity and Guaranty Co., later testified that in the first seven months of this year that Cherner received $9923.25 in commissions on $50,000 in premiums.

Frank M. Lane, 301 Hamilton st. nw., said in February, '48, he bought a Ford from Cherner. He said nothing had been said to indicate he had to buy insurance from Cherner.

William A. Vincent of 832 N. Lexington, Arlington, said that last July he bought a Mercury from Shirlington, financed it through the Shirlington trust, and insured it through the auto company. He said he wanted to transfer his old car insurance, but was told he couldn't do it. He said he paid $28 more for the new, and got a $100 deductible policy instead of the $50 deductible policy he wanted. Reddan said the car for which Vincent was allowed $1200 was resold for $1750.

Had to Take Accessories

Ernest R. Speakman, 2631 S. Wayne, Arlington, said he got a Mercury from Shirlington last week within a week of his order. On the question of insurance: "I said I'd like to transfer my old insurance, and I did get the insurance through my own company." He protested that he had to accept a number of accessories he did not want. He placed the order a week before he got the car.

Martin J. Manning of Arlington said that in June this year he got a new Lincoln from Shirlington, and that "the dealings were fairly pleasant up to the point of luggage—I was asked to accept luggage to the extent of $328; it was probably worth $125; there were five pieces; I paid $4018.24 for the car, and I got the luggage."

Sold Luggage, Lap Robe

Benjamin F. Harrison, 1915 9th st. nw., who runs a newsstand, said that last April he bought a Lincoln from Shirlington, and with it got a set of luggage—he wouldn't have paid $10 for all the luggage in the world, but his wife liked it—and also a lap robe for $75, as part of the total purchase price of $40006.39. He said he traded in a '47 Lincoln and was allowed $1606.30. Reddan said the car was resold for $2595.

George F. Dalton, 1512 Mount Eagle pl., Alexandria, said he agreed to a reduced trade-in price on his old car, a $5 reduction, so he wouldn't have to take seat covers with the Mercury he bought from Shirlington in July this year. He said he was allowed $380 on a '40 Buick sedan. Reddan said the car was resold for $800.

$75 Gets $680 After Repairs

Lieut. Col. M. A. Hoherz, 891 N. Longfellow, Arlington, said he was allowed $75 on a 1940 Mercury by Shirlington. Reddan said the car was resold to the Cherner Co. for $680. Davis later cited this as one of the points on which insufficient facts were brought out, saying it later turned out there had been substantial repairs to make on the car after it was traded in.

Jesse O. Ammons, 2719 S. Pierce, Arlington, said he traded a 1947 Ford to Shirlington for a new Mercury last May. He said he was allowed $1200. Reddan said the car was resold to the Cherner Co. for $1700.

David K. Eichler, 2516 Massachusetts ave. nw., said that when he bought a Mercury from Shirlington last March he was first offered 5 per cent financing, then when he said he would rather get 4 per cent from a bank, he finally compromised on 4.6 per cent financing through the auto firm.

Insurance Practice Questioned

Another witness, Theodore M. Gray, of the Ohio Association of Insurance Agents, charged that some auto dealers have refused to deliver new cars unless the buyer cancels existing insurance and takes limited coverage through the dealer. He called for a thorough investigation of the practice.

In his return to the witness table, Cherner defended his sales record for June and July, saying "it is common knowledge that when the new cars come out is the time to make the best deals."

He said there was a high percentage of trades then, because the man with a car to trade in would keep his new one. With the cash buyer "we were always afraid the new car would turn up on the used-car lot." He said in 1947 53 per cent of his cars were sold without trade-ins, and in the first four months of this year, 42 per cent were sold without trade-ins.

He said there might have been exceptional cases where cars taken in trade were resold at more than their original new-car prices, but "as a rule, we don't do that." He said about 45 to 50 per cent of the trade-in cars from Shirlington were sold to Cherner.

Ferguson estimated the percentage was around 65 per cent, but Cherner said that was wrong. Cherner said that on trade-in allowances, the practice was to follow the National Automobile Dealers Handbook prices. Reddan said that in several instances the actual allowances were below the handbook values. Cherner said some of those cars may have needed a lot of repairs.

On sales from the Shirlington to the Cherner firm, Cherner said the Cherner company got the cars on the basis of competitive bidding. It had to equal or better the price offered by other dealers to get the cars.

Cherner said that while no interest was paid on customers' deposits, it was common knowledge they could get their deposits returned whenever they asked for them.

Correspondent Rules Passed By Forrestal

Defense Secretary James Forrestal yesterday approved new regulations for accrediting correspondents to the armed forces.

Clearance will be required only for correspondents assigned in United States occupation areas abroad as a normal rule.

All credentials will be issued by a central agency acting for the entire military establishment, so it no longer will be necessary to apply to the Army, Navy and Air Force individually.

Credentials will be granted only at the employer's request to correspondents with a professional standing as a writer, broadcaster or photographer and who answer a simplified "loyalty" questionnaire to the satisfaction of the military.

They can be revoked on four grounds: A change in employment, criminal or moral misconduct, violations of security and membership in or close relationship to subversive organizations. The regulations no longer include violation of journalistic codes of ethics and unauthorized activities as grounds for revocation.

Acceptance of a particular correspondent by an overseas theater still remains at the discretion of the theater commander, however, under the new rules.

Higley Consecrated As New York Bishop

Syracuse, N. Y., Dec. 15 (AP).—A 49-year-old Syracuse clergyman, Walter M. Higley, today was consecrated suffragan bishop of the central New York Episcopal diocese in a ceremony witnessed by more than 1000 spectators.

The Rt. Rev. Angus Dun, bishop of Washington, D. C., preached the sermon.

Address on Canon Law

Dr. Stephen G. Kuttner, professor of the history of Canon Law at Catholic University, will speak on "Early English Canonists" at 8:10 p. m. today before the Riccobono Seminar of Roman Law in America in the University Law School.

6-Mile By-Pass To Be Constructed Along Suez Canal

London, Dec. 15 NYHT.—The Suez Canal Co. announced tonight plans for cutting a 6-mile-long by-pass canal out of the Egyptian desert in order to assure "complete safety" for the increasing number of ships using the 100-mile-long waterway.

The project will involve the removal of 18 million cubic yards of soil and will take three years.

In addition, the company has decided to deepen the canal by 20 inches over its whole length. This involves the removal of eight million cubic yards of underwater soil, and 800,000 cubic yards of rock, and will take four to five years.

Indian Accord Near

New Delhi, India, Dec. 15 (AP).—India and Pakistan announced today a "very substantial measure of agreement" in ironing out some of their problems after an inter-dominion conference.

'Miss U. S.', A Crown Beauty

The Washington Post

SCINTILLATING — Dorothy Burks of 1349 Ives pl. se., and employe in the office of the Chief of Staff, Department of the Army, is crowned "Miss United States" at last night's seventh annual Christmas party and dance of the United Nations Girls, Inc. Maj. Gen. William H. Arnold officiates

President Moves to Separate Civil Defense

CIVIL—*From Page 1*

ning function is the National Security Resources Board.

First indications that Federal officials differed on how civil defense should be organized and headed came at a panel session of the American Municipal Association Tuesday, which unexpectedly decided not to take a position on a civil defense report drawn by Russell J. Hopley, resigned director of the Office of Civil Defense Planning.

Richard Graves, executive director of the League of California Cities, weeks ago proposed adoption of a policy that "The Federal civil defense responsibility should be appropriately assigned to the military establishment, to be staffed and operated by specialized military personnel."

During a discussion of his proposal, Graves criticized the Hopley report and spoke in favor of tabling action on the report. This position was adopted by the conferences, which represents 9500 municipalities.

President Informed

The retiring president of the AMA, Mayor Fletcher Bowren of Los Angeles, informed President Truman of the group's decision yesterday afternoon. He said he told the Chief Executive the organization considered the Hopley report as "not realistic" in recommending establishment of uniform reserves corps in all towns of the country without regard to whether they were likely military targets or merely quiet villages.

Mayer Bowren reported the President "seemed to understand our decision."

Since his arrival in Washington Graves talked to representatives of Federal agencies about the Hopley report.

Although Graves declined to name what agencies he had been contacted by, The Washington Post learned that he had discussed the matter with officials of the National Security Resources Board, a year-old agency charged with advising the President on military, industrial and civilian mobilization.

An official there said staff members were "greatly concerned" about whether the civil defense program should be placed under the national military establishment.

Fleming Favors Change

Another source disclosed that Major Gen. Philip B. Fleming, Federal Works Administrator, was also in favor of making the civil defense planning group a purely civilian agency and of rewriting the civil defense program.

The Hopley report recommends that the proposed Office of Civil Defense report directly either to the President or the Secretary of Defense. It then adds:

"Since a very large part of the civil defense program will require continuous coordination with all agencies responsible to the Secretary of Defense, it seems reasonable that the latter would be preferable."

The National Security Resources Board, mentioned as a possible over-all agency, was headed until yesterday by Arthur M. Hill, who resigned to return to executive duties with the Greyhound Bus Co.

Hill will be succeeded today by Dr. John R. Steelman, assistant to the President. Dr. Steelman will retain his White House position as well as taking over the chairmanship of the resources board.

Theft Laid to Nephew Of Greek Minister

Athens, Dec. 15 (AP).—The ministry of merchant marine today charged a nephew of the minister of labor with embezzling three billion drachmas ($300,000).

The accused is Lieut. Constantine Bakopoulos, former financial administrator of coastal shipping. He is a nephew of the Populist minister, George Bakopoulos.

The ministry said Bakopoulos "disappeared" while on leave in London, and that his passport would be revoked.

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Framed Bones Clew In Fatal Stabbing

Cedar Rapids, Iowa, Dec. 15 (AP). An aircraft expert from St. Louis, Mo. was found stabbed to death in his hotel room today and a bizarre item of framed chicken bones was among clews in the case.

Coroner Robert Brosh said Byron C. Hattman, 29-year-old former Marine, was killed by a powerful stab thrust which broke his seventh rib and pierced his heart. A terrific struggle preceded the slaying, Brosh said, and walls of the room were blood-spattered.

The "chicken bone clew" was found wrapped in heavy paper in the trunk of Hattman's car. Police said that what looked like the neck and breastbone of a chicken had been mounted on a cloth background in an 11 by 14-inch frame. Scrawled on the cloth were the words, "lest you forget."

Hattman had come to Cedar Rapids on one of his frequent trips as a technical liaison man between his employers, the Emerson Electric Co., and the Collins Radio Co. of Cedar Rapids. Both have Air Force contracts. A spokesman for the Emerson firm said in St. Louis he considered it unlikely that military secrets were involved.

Hattman's father, John of Coraopolis, Pa., said robbery may have been the motive. He said his son was in the habit of carrying $300 to $400 in cash.

'I'll String Along With You'

Associated Press WIREPHOTO

SPIN A NEW PLATTER—Less than one hour after the Petrillo recording ban was lifted, Songstress Jo Stafford (right) and the Paul Weston Orchestra were busy in Hollywood making the Capitol disk, "I'll String Along With You." Most other recording companies also began making new records after the signing of the contract between the record industry and the American Federation of Musicians, which ended the 11½-month-old restriction

Four Arrested In Stolen Car Near Laurel

A night of crime was ended early yesterday for four Washington youths when they were arrested by Maryland State police 19 minutes after the auto they were driving was reported stolen.

The four were identified as Louis E. Ottey, 20, a house painter, of 1496½ H st. ne.; Roderick R. Staples, 19, a television man, of 313 F st. ne.; Dewey C. Morris, 21, unemployed, of 410 B st. ne., and Leonard A. Tozzolo, 21, also unemployed, of 711 G st. se.

Bond for Four Is $2000

They were charged with three counts of breaking and entering and one count of larceny of an auto each. Bond was set at $2000 for the four of them. A hearing on the charges is scheduled for 10 a. m. today in Hyattsville Police Court.

The youths gave Prince Georges County police this version of their night's activities:

They went to Brentwood, Md., from Washington by streetcar about 4:30 a. m. and broke into the Club 4400 at 4400 Rhode Island ave., taking two cases of whisky, a typewriter and $31 in cash.

They then broke into the Preston Service Station next door at 4406 Rhode Island ave., where they stole a 1937 Packard, owned by Abraham L. Frocke of 4700 Gallatin st., Hyattsville.

Third Eentry at Brentwood

From Brentwood, they drove to Hyattsville, where they broke into the Banning-Sheehy Motor Co., 5800 Baltimore blvd., and took two typewriters and an adding machine.

From there they drove to Baltimore, were unable to get a room, and started back to Washington. They were arrested by State police as they approached Laurel. Police just 19 minutes earlier had received a report of the theft of the car from Archie Preston, who discovered the auto was missing when he opened up his service station.

Mrs. Keleher Loses Action for Back Rent

Sportsman John B. Keleher, 67, is relieved from paying his estranged wife's rent, no matter what Hammurabi said.

That was the effect of a decision yesterday by the Municipal Court of Appeals.

The wife, Mrs. Anna Keleher, 38, sued the husband to get him to pay $648 rent she owed on an apartment at Woodley Park Towers. A divorce suit is pending in which Mrs. Keleher claims desertion.

Keleher countered by asserting that Mrs. Keleher's maintenance was amply provided for when she took more than $33,000 of his money from a safe deposit box. He said that District Court had declined to grant her maintenance when she sued for it, and that the adjudication in that court was binding.

The Appeals Court disregarded a claim by Mrs. Keleher that even back in Hammurabi's time, a husband had to pay his wife's room and board. The court affirmed that "the husband had supplied the wife with ample funds for her support even though he did it involuntarily."

Palsy Association Will Meet Tonight

The Montgomery County Cerebral Palsy Association will meet at the county dispensary building in Silver Spring at 8 p. m. today rather than the usual third Monday because of Christmas.

Dr. Henry J. Milans, jr., president, will make a progress report on the educational program for handicapped children in Montgomery County.

Catholic U. Program

The Rev. Anselm Strittmatter, O.S.B., subprior of St. Anselm's Priory, will give an illustrated talk on "The Nativity in the Christian Arts" before the Catholic University Chapter of the American Association of University Professors at 8:30 p. m. today in the Music Building audtorium on the Catholic University campus.

GRIFFIN—*From Page 1*

Knife Is Cited In Trial Plea

. . . We don't interfere in the courts of the District on the rules of evidence."

Kelly replied that it would not require a change in evidence rules. And, said Kelly, "Whether the card game was in progress or had ceased goes to the very heart of this case."

In the case, which has been in and out of local courts and the Supreme Court since March 1947, five trial witnesses testified it was during an argument in a whist game that Griffin teased Hunter's infant child. After an argument, they said, Griffin left and returned with a gun to shoot Hunter in the face, saying, "Aint nobody gonna tell me they're gonna knock my teeth down my throat."

Griffin contends Hunter reached for more money than he was entitled to during a blackjack game, they argued, and Hunter said, "I'm going to kill you," approaching him in a menacing manner with his hand in his pocket. Griffin said he then shot him.

Griffin was represented in trial court by Attorney Robert I. Miller, and his earlier appeals were directed by Attorney John M. Holzworth. His present attorneys, Kelly and James R. Reynolds, were engaged by members of the International Union of Operating Engineers, Local 77 (AFL). J. C. Turner, local business agent, said Griffin was a bulldozer operator and fellow union members contributed to the current appeal.

City College Alumni

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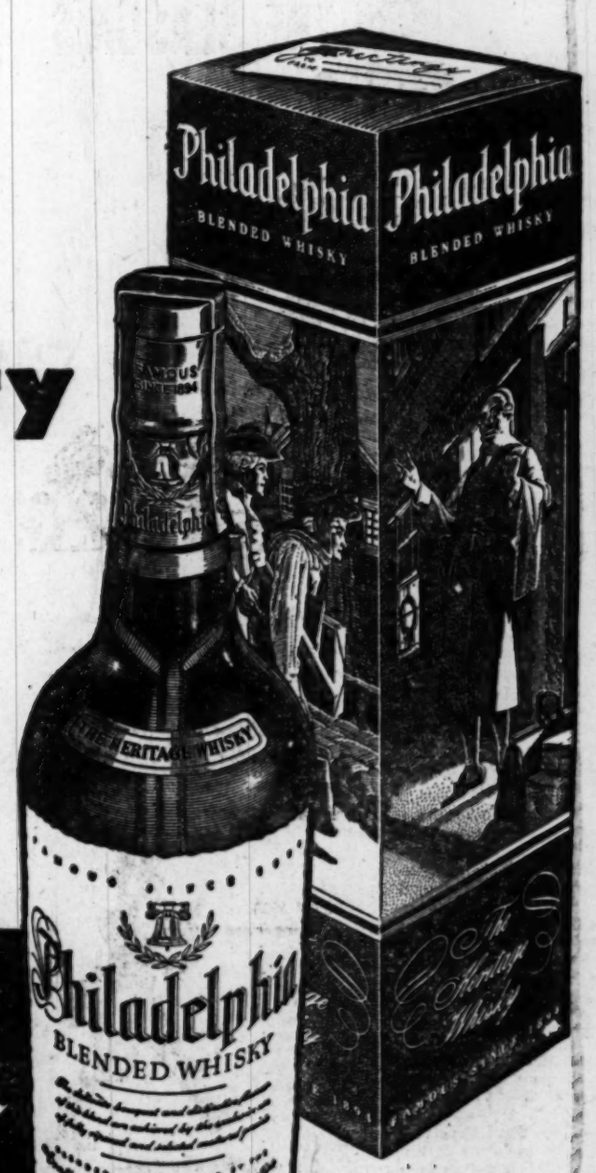

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Caudle Cites Surge in Tax Fraud Cases

By S. Oliver Goodman

Tax fraud prosecutions have increased sharply in recent years, Theron L. Caudle pointed out last night.

Caudle

Caudle, Assistant Attorney General of the United States, declared that the Justice Department expects to clear about 700 evasion cases by the end of this fiscal year. He addressed a dinner meeting of the Washington Chapter, National Association of Cost Accountants, in the Lafayette Hotel.

"In the last seven or eight years," Caudle said, "tax evasion has . . . matured as a crime in its own right. Not so long ago the total number of criminal tax cases clearing through the tax division of the Department of Justice was a maximum of perhaps 70 or 80 cases a year.

"Today the situation is radically different and we expect that at the end of this fiscal year, the criminal section of my division will have cleared approximately 700 cases."

Tragically enough, he added, most of the cases will involve reputable citizens engaged in various businesses, occupations and professions. "For the overwhelming majority the criminal tax charge will be the first blemish on otherwise unstained careers."

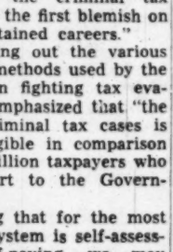
After pointing out the various weapons and methods used by the Government in fighting tax evasion, Caudle emphasized that "the number of criminal tax cases is entirely negligible in comparison with the 30 million taxpayers who annually report to the Government."

"Considering that for the most part our tax system is self-assessing and self-paying, we may readily conclude that the great body of our citizenry is essentially honest and alert to the obligation to financially support their country," he said.

Technical chairman of the session was George Moreland, Joe V. Cummins, chapter head, presided. A lively question forum followed Caudle's address.

EXTRA DIVIDEND: National Savings & Trust Co. declared an extra dividend of $1 a share on capital stock, payable December 28 to stock of record December 17, President Bruce Baird reported yesterday. This was in addition to the regular quarterly dividend of $2 a share, payable February 1 to stock of record January 21.

WHO'S WHO TODAY: Claude A. Cook, agency manager of Equitable Life Assurance Society, was elected president of the General Agents and Managers Association of Washington. Other officers are: J. Hicks Baldwin, vice president; Lawrence Brown, secretary - treasurer . . . John H. O'Connell has been named public relations director of ATF, Inc. . . . The Lumbermen's Mutual Casualty Co. has honored John H. Kroll, president of the Mutual Insurance Agency, Inc., of Washington, by electing him to the Live Members Club . . . Malcolm Pirnie, New York consulting engineer, has been named 1948 winner of the Hoover Medal, considered one of the highest honors in the engineering profession.



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ODD LOTS: National Bank of Washington declared the regular semiannual dividend of $3 a share on capital stock, payable January 3 to stock of record December 22. A bonus of 6 per cent of annual salaries was authorized for all officers and employes . . . The Washington Institute of Public Accountants will meet Friday at 8 p. m. in the Washington Hotel to reactivate the group after many years of inactivity . . . Bank of Commerce & Savings employes will attend the annual Yule party on December 22 in Hamilton Hotel. A bonus of one month's extra pay has been authorized for those with one year or more service . . . Five American firms are dickering to build a 50-million-dollar steel mill in France with Marshall Plan funds . . . Dun & Bradstreet wholesale food price index this week declined to $6.21, lowest since June, 1947.

ANOTHER EXTRA: Industrial Bank of Washington declared an extra dividend of 1 per cent a share in addition to the regular annual dividend of 5 per cent, Vice President B. Doyle Mitchell reported. The dividends are payable January 25 to stock of record December 31. Mitchell added that $25,000 has been transferred from undivided profits to surplus, making the latter, $125,000.

COLLECTIONS: October collections on store charge accounts in Washington were 47 per cent of those due at the start of the month, the Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond reported last night. This was slightly better than the Fifth Reserve District's average of 44 per cent. Stocks of goods on hand in local stores on October 31 were 17 per cent heavier than on the same date last year, while outstanding orders were 21 per cent less. The bank's monthly report also noted that store sales in Washington for the first 10 months this year were 5 per cent improved over the same 1947 period. However, for the four weeks ended November 27, local sales were down 2 per cent.

Quotations on N. Y. Stock Exchange

By The Associated Press

Total sales, 920,000 shares; previous day, 1,000,000; week ago, 1,137,320; year ago, 1,249,590; two years ago, 1,107,490; January 1 to date, 287,780,350; year ago, 241,002,453; two years ago, 351,531,110.

Dow-Jones Stocks

New York, Dec. 15.

	Open	High	Low	Close	Net Ch.
30 inds.	176.86	177.26	175.18	176.20	—0.39
20 rails	53.44	53.73	53.14	53.31	—0.24
15 utils.	33.22	33.38	32.99	33.20	+0.07
65 stks.	64.45	64.67	64.05	64.26	—0.13

Transactions in stocks used in averages today: Industrials, 83,700; railroads, 45,000; utilities, 39,800; total, 166,500.

	Sales Add 00	High	Low	Close	Net Ch'ge
ABBOT LAB	1	65⅞	65⅞	65⅞	....
ACF-Brill Mot	3	2¾	2¾	2¾	— ⅛
Acme Stl	2	46⅜	46	46	— ⅛
Adams Exp	5	18⅝	18½	18½	— ⅛
Addresso-Mult	5	28⅛	28	28	— ⅛
Admiral Corp	38	19⅞	18⅝	19⅜	+ ⅛
Air Reduction	33	20¼	19⅞	20¼	+ ⅛
Alaska Juneau	20	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜	+ ⅛
Algens Inc	3	14⅛	14⅛	14⅛	— ⅛
Allegheny Crp	14	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜	— ⅛
Allegheny pf	29	50	47¾	47¾	—2¼
Alleg Lud Stl	10	24⅞	24½	24⅞	+ ⅛
Alleg & West	1	102	102	102	....
Allen & Dyer	2	179⅛	179⅛	179⅛	— ⅛
Allied Mills	3	26⅞	26⅝	26⅞	— ⅛
Allied Strs	24	29	28⅞	29	+ ⅛
Allied Stl pf	2	83	83	83	— ⅛
Allis-Ch Mfg	28	27⅛	27¼	27⅜	— ⅛
Allis-Ch Mfg pf	3	78	78	78	— ⅛
Alpha P Cem	3	26¾	26½	26½	— ⅛
Amal Leather	3	3½	3½	3½	....
Amerada Pet	7	97	95½	96½	—1
Am Ag Ch Del	2	37⅛	36⅞	36⅞	—1⅛
Am Airlines	128	7¾	7⅝	7⅝	— ⅛
Am Airlines pf	7	53¼	52½	52¾	—1
Am Bank Note	3	20¾	20¾	20¾	— ⅛
Am Brake Shoe	2	33⅜	33¼	33¼	— ⅛
Am Br Shoe pf	1	103⅛	103⅛	103⅛	....
Am Broadcast	30	8¼	8	8	....
Am Cable & Rd	2	9	9	9	— ⅛
Am Can	20	82½	81¾	81¾	— ⅛
Am Car & Fdy	7	33⅜	33⅛	33⅛	— ⅛
Am Ch & Cable	4	21⅞	21	21⅛	+ ⅛
Am Chicle	7	45	44	44	—1⅛
Am Crystal Sug	1	15½	15½	15½	— ⅛
Am Cyanamid	9	39¾	39½	39⅝	— ⅛
Am Cyan pf	2	100¾	100½	100½	....
Am Distill	1	30¼	30¼	30¼	— ⅛
Am Encaus Til	4	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛	— ⅛
Am European	1	15⅜	15⅜	15⅜	— ⅛
Am & For Pow	8	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞	....
Am & FP 7 pf	16	46	42	43¾	—1¼
Am & FP 6 pf	10	39½	38	38¼	— ¾
Am & FP 2 pf	5	6¾	6¾	6¾	— ⅛
Am Hawaii	3	37	37	37	....
Am Tide & L	4	7	7	7	— ⅛
Am Home Pr	8	24⅞	24¾	24¾	— ⅛
Am Ice	2	6	6	6	....
Am Internat	2	12⅞	12⅞	12⅞	— ⅛
Am Locomotive	14	17¼	17⅛	17⅛	— ⅛
Am M & Fdy	21	12⅞	12½	12⅝	— ⅛
Am Metal	3	29¾	29½	29¾	+ ⅛
Am Molasses	1	6¼	6¼	6¼	....
Am News Co	2	34	34	34	....
Am Pow & Lt	20	8⅜	8⅛	8⅛	— ⅛
Am P&L $6 pf	5	82⅞	81⅞	81⅞	— ⅛
Am P&L $5 pf	11	72⅞	71⅝	71⅝	—1⅜
Am Rad & St S	26	14	13⅞	14	....
Am Safety Raz	8	9	9	9	....
Am Seating	1	23½	23½	23½	+ ⅛
Am Smelt & R	4	54½	54	54½	+ ⅛
Am Snuff	1	32⅞	32⅞	32⅞	— ⅛
Am Stl Fdrs	6	27¾	27½	27½	— ⅛
Am Stores	2	27⅞	27⅞	27⅞	....
Am Sugar Ref	6	40¼	39½	39½	— ⅛
Am Tel & Tel	34	150½	149⅞	150½	+ ⅛
Am Tobacco	19	61⅝	61½	61¾	....
Am Tob pf	1	135½	135	135	— ½
Am Viscose	4	60⅝	60½	60⅝	+ ⅛
Am Wat Wks	4	9	9	9	....
Am Woolen	7	36⅞	36¼	36¼	— ⅛
Am Zinc L&S	2	5¾	5¾	5¾	....
Anaconda Cop	41	33⅝	33	33⅜	....
Anch Hock Gl	1	25⅜	25⅜	25⅜	....
And-Prich Oil	10	22⅞	22¾	22¾	— ⅛
Andes Copper	2	10⅞	10⅞	10⅞	....
APW Prod	1	4¼	4¼	4¼	+ ⅛
Arch-Dan-M	2	27	27	27	....
Armco Stl	27	29⅛	28⅞	29⅛	+ ⅛
Armour & Co	87	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛	....
Armour pr pf	3	74⅜	73⅝	73⅝	— ⅛
Arnold Const	1	14	14	14	+ ⅛
Assd Dry Goods	7	13⅛	13⅛	13⅛	— ⅛
Atch T&SF	13	102¼	101¼	101¼	—1
Atch T&SF pf	2	103	102¾	103	+ ⅛
Atl Coast Line	1	45½	45½	45½	— ⅛
Atl G&W Ind	4	52¾	52	52¾	+ ⅛
Atl G&W Ind pf	1	75	75	75	—2
Atl Refining	26	39¼	38⅝	39	+ ⅛
Atlas Corp	3	20½	20½	20½	— ⅛
Aust Nichols	2	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛	....
Autocar Co	9	7⅞	7	7⅛	....
Autom Canteen	5	12¼	12	12	+ ⅛
Avco Mfg	85	7¾	7⅜	7⅜	....
Avco Mfg pf	3	45	44¼	45	+ ⅛
RABBITT(B T)	10	13¾	13¾	13¾	....
Bald Loco	26	11⅛	11⅛	11⅛	+ ⅛
Balt & Ohio	23	10⅞	10⅝	10⅞	— ⅛
Balt & Ohio pf	9	21½	21⅜	21½	— ⅛
Bangor & Ar	2	22⅞	22½	22½	— ⅛
Bangor & Ar pf	1	69½	69½	69½	....
Barker Bros	3	22	22	22	....
Barnsdall Oil	9	44¼	44¼	44¼	....
Bath Ir Wks	5	11⅜	11⅜	11⅜	+ ⅛
Bayuk Cigars	5	16⅞	16¼	16⅜	— ⅛
Beatrice Foods	1	32¾	32¾	32¾	....
Beaunit Mills	13	21⅛	21	21	— ⅛
Beech Aircr	4	15⅛	15⅛	15⅛	....
Beech-Nut Pk	4	34⅜	34	34	— ⅛
Bell Aircr	7	13⅛	12⅞	13⅛	+ ⅛
Bendix Aviat	11	34⅝	34⅛	34⅛	— ⅛
Bend Home Ap	43	10⅞	10	10½	+ ⅛
Benef Ind Ln	3	22	22	22	+ ⅛
Benef Ind Lnpf	1	72	72	72	+ 1¾
Best & Co	3	25⅝	25⅝	25⅝	....
Best Foods	7	29¾	29½	29½	— ⅛
Beth Steel	35	34	33½	33⅝	....
Beth Steel pf	1	136¼	136¼	136¼	+ ¼
Bigelow-Sanf	2	26⅜	26⅜	26⅜	— ⅛
Birmingham El	1	9¾	9¾	9¾	....
Black & Decker	2	27⅛	27⅛	27⅛	+ ⅛
Blaw-Knox	4	13⅜	13⅜	13⅜	+ ⅛
Bliss (E W)	5	10¾	10½	10¾	....
Boeing Airpl	4	22½	22½	22½	— ⅛
Bohn Aldbr	1	23½	23	23	— ⅛
Bond Strs	11	16⅞	16½	16⅝	+ ⅛
Borden Co	8	40¼	39¾	40⅛	+ ⅛
Borg-Warner	10	55	54¼	54⅜	—1
Boston & M	7	2	2	2	....
Bower Roll Br	4	33½	32	33	....
Brandt Auto	1	7½	7½	7½	....
Bridgeport Br	5	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞	+ ⅛
Briggs Mfg	8	29⅞	29½	29⅝	+ ⅛
Briggs & Strat	1	27⅜	27⅜	27⅜	....
Bristol-Myers	4	28⅜	28⅛	28⅛	— ⅛
Bklyn Un Gas	4	18½	18½	18⅝	....
Brown & Bige	11	9	8⅞	9	+ ⅛
Brunswick-Ba	2	19⅜	19⅛	19⅜	+ ⅛
Bucyrus-Erie	10	15⅞	15⅝	15⅞	+ ⅛
Budd Co	30	8¼	8	8	....
Buffalo Forge	1	21⅝	21⅝	21⅝	—1
Buf Niag E pf	1	86⅝	86⅝	86⅝	+ ⅛
Bullard Co	2	13¾	13¾	13¾	— ⅛
Burling Mills	17	17⅜	17¼	17⅜	+ ⅛
Burl M cv pf	2	74	74	74	+ ⅛
Burr Add Mach	12	14¼	14	14¼	....
Bush Terminal	2	8¾	8¾	8¾	— ⅛
Butler Bros	17	8¾	8½	8½	— ⅛
Butte C & Z	1	3	3	3	....
Byers (AM)	2	21	20¾	21	— ¼
CALIF PACK	1	34¼	34¼	34¼	— ⅛
Callahan Z-Ld	9	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜	— ⅛
Calumet & Hec	12	5⅞	5⅞	5⅞	....
Campbell W	2	22	22	22	....
Can Dry G A	29	9⅜	9⅛	9⅜	— ⅛
Canad Pacific	54	13⅜	13⅛	13⅜	....
Capital Airl	61	5½	5¼	5⅝	— ⅛
Carb P&L	20	27	26¾	26¾	+ ⅛
Carpenter Stl	5	32	31	31	—1¼
Carrier Corp	11	12⅝	12⅜	12½	....
Carrier Co pf	2	31½	31½	31½	....
Case (J I) Co	1	36⅜	36⅜	36⅜	+ ⅛
Caterpil Tract	12	54½	53¾	54½	+ ⅛
Celanese Corp	24	31¾	30⅝	30⅝	— ⅛
Celanese 1st pf	1	100¼	100¼	100¼	+ 1⅛
Celotex Corp	3	26½	26¾	26¾	....
Celotex Co pf	4	18⅛	18⅛	18⅛	— ⅛
Cent Aguirre	7	16⅞	16¾	16⅞	+ ⅛
Cent Foundry	6	9¾	9½	9⅝	....
Cen Hud G&E	4	7⅛	7	7	— ⅛
Cen Ga Ry pf	2	24	24	24	— ⅛
Cen NY P pf	10	81	79½	81	+ 1⅜
Cent R R N J	3	33½	33	33	....
Cent Violeta S	2	10⅛	10⅛	10⅛	— ⅛
Cerro de Pas	5	21⅜	21¼	21⅛	— ⅛
Certain-teed P	13	13½	12⅞	13¼	+ ⅛
Chain Belt	2	24⅞	24⅞	24⅞	— ⅛
Champ F & F	2	23⅜	23⅜	23⅜	+ ⅛
Checker Cab	2	9	9	9	....
Ches & Ohio	56	32½	32	32	— ⅛
Ches & Oh pf	8	80½	80	80½	+ ⅛
Chicago Corp	23	10⅝	10⅜	10⅜	+ ⅛
Chi & E Ill A	3	11¼	10⅞	10⅞	— ⅛
Chi Grt West	5	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝	....
Chi Grt W pf	5	18⅝	18⅝	18⅝	....
Chi Ind & L A	5	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝	— ⅛
Chi Ind & L B	5	5¼	5	5	— ⅛
Ch M SP & Pac	30	8¼	8	8	— ⅛
Ch MSP&P pf	17	33½	33⅜	33⅜	+ ⅛
Chi & N W	10	14⅝	14⅜	14⅜	— ⅛
Chi & N W pf	5	36⅛	36	36⅛	— ⅛
Chi Pneu Tool	1	28⅜	28⅜	28⅜	— ⅛
Chi RI & Pac	25	34½	33⅝	34	+ ⅛
Chi RI & Pac pf	16	65¾	65⅜	65½	+ ¼
Chickasha C Oil	1	16	16	16	....
Childs Co	1	4	4	4	....
Chrysler Corp	26	54⅜	53⅝	53⅝	— ⅛
Cin G & E	7	27⅞	27¾	27⅞	+ ⅛
Cin Mill Mch	2	20¼	20¼	20¼	— ⅛
C I T Finan	15	42⅝	42	42	— ⅛
City Ice & Fuel	5	26⅛	26	26	— ⅛
City Invest	4	7⅝	7⅝	7⅝	....
City Stores	5	18¼	17⅞	18⅛	+ ⅛
Clark Equip	1	28½	28½	28½	— ⅛
Clev El Illum	5	39⅝	39	39⅝	+ ⅛
Clev Graph Br	4	24	23¾	23¾	— ⅛
Climax Molyb	16	13⅝	13½	13⅝	— ⅛
Clopay Corp	5	5½	5½	5½	....
Cluett Peabody	15	28½	27¾	27⅞	— ⅛
Cluett Pea 4 pf	1	78½	78½	78½	—1¼
Coca-Cola	4	137	137	137	....
Colgate-P-P	8	34⅝	34	34⅛	— ⅛
Collins & Aik	1	15⅞	15⅜	15⅜	— ⅛
Colonial Mills	3	18¼	18¼	18¼	....
Col Fuel & Ir	8	17⅛	17⅛	17⅜	— ⅛
Col F & Ir pf	1	18⅝	18⅝	18⅝	....
Col & Sou 1 pf	2	11⅝	11	11	....
Colum Breast A	3	22⅛	21⅞	21⅞	— ⅛
Colum Gas	26	11	10⅝	10⅝	— ⅛
Colum Pict	2	8⅜	8⅜	8⅜	— ⅛
Colum Carbon	3	29⅜	29¼	29¼	— ⅛
Col & So Oh El	6	36⅛	36⅜	36⅜	— ⅛
Comi Credit	13	48⅝	44	48⅛	— ⅛
Coml Solvents	17	17⅞	17⅝	17⅞	+ ⅛
Comwith Edis	46	25⅝	25	25⅝	— ⅛
Comwith & Sou	59	3	3	3	....
Com & Sou pf	5	91	90⅝	90⅝	....
Conde Nast	1	9	9	9	+ ⅛
Congol-Nairn	5	29½	29	29	— ⅛
Cons Coppermin	10	4¼	4⅛	4⅛	— ⅛
Cons Edison	47	22⅛	21⅞	21⅞	— ⅛
Cons Edison pf	2	106⅞	106⅝	106⅞	+ ⅛
Cons Grocers	7	12¼	12	12¼	+ ⅛
Cons Laundries	2	9	9	9	....
Cons Nat Gas	18	41	40⅝	40⅝	— ⅛
C RR Cuba pf	2	21	21	21	....
Cons Ret Strs	4	11⅝	11⅝	11⅝	— ⅛
Cons Textile	4	9⅛	9	9¼	+ ⅛
Cons Vultee	20	9⅝	8⅜	9⅛	+ ⅛
Consum Pow	2	30⅛	30⅛	30⅛	+ ⅛
Container Corp	9	35	34	34	—1
Cont Can	29	31	30⅜	30⅜	— ⅛
Cont Diam Fib	3	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝	— ⅛
Cont Ins	2	60¼	60¼	60¼	—1
Cont Motors	23	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛	— ⅛
Cont Oil Del	20	86	86	86	....
Cont Steel	7	15⅞	15⅝	15⅝	....
Cooper-Bess	3	25⅛	25⅛	25⅛	....
Copperweld Stl	7	16¼	16¼	16¼	— ⅛
Corn Prod	16	57⅝	57⅛	57½	+ ⅛
Cornell-Dub El	1	11	10⅞	10⅞	— ⅛
Corning Glass	9	19⅝	19	19¼	+ ⅛
Coty Inc	2	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	....
Coty Internat	27	2	2	2	....
Crane Co	14	31¼	30½	31¼	+ ⅛
Crown C & S	1	18¼	18	18	....
Crown Ck pf	1	37½	37½	37½	— ⅛
Crown Zeller	7	25⅛	25	25¼	+ ⅛
Crucible Steel	2	21¾	21¾	21¾	— ⅛
Crucible St pf	1	66½	66½	66½	— ⅛
Cuban-Am Sug	8	15	15	15	— ⅛
Cudahy Pack	5	8	8	8	....
Cuneo Press	2	12⅜	12⅜	12⅜	— ⅛
Curtis Pub	8	7⅞	7½	7⅝	+ ⅛
Curtis P pr pf	3	49	48½	49	+ ⅛
Curtiss-Wright	44	7⅛	7	7⅛	....
Curtiss-Wr A	7	23¼	22⅝	23¼	— ⅛
Cutler-Hammer	2	26	25½	25½	— ⅛
DANA CORP	8	20½	20¼	20¼	.....

	Sales Add 00	High	Low	Close	Net Ch'ge
Davison Chem	4	19½	19	19	— ⅛
Dayton P & L	14	25⅛	25	25⅛	+ ⅛
Dayton Rub	5	9¼	9	9	....
Decca Records	78	10½	10¼	10¼	+ ⅛
Deep Rock Oil	3	28½	28½	28½	— ½
Deere & Co	18	33	32⅝	33	....
Del & Huds	6	40½	40¼	40⅜	— ⅛
Del Lack & W	5	9	8⅞	8⅞	— ⅛
Den & RGW	13	27⅛	26	26¼	— ⅛
Den & RGW pf	2	47½	47½	47½	+ ⅛
Detroit Edison	39	20¼	20¼	20¼	+ ⅛
Det-Mich Stove	8	8⅞	8⅞	8⅞	— ⅛
De Vilbiss	6	12	11½	12	+ ⅛
Devoe & Ray A	3	20¼	20	20¼	+ ⅛
Diamond Match	2	40	40	40	+ ⅛
Diam Match pf	1	42½	42½	42½	+ ⅛
Diam T Mot	5	12⅜	12	12	— ⅛
Dist Corp-Seag	19	15⅛	15⅛	15⅜	....
Divco Corp	2	14½	14½	14½	— ⅛
Dixie Cup	2	29	29	29	....
Dr Pepper	3	10⅝	10½	10½	— ⅛
Doehler-Jarvis	6	32½	31⅞	32½	+ 1
Dome Mines	31	12	11⅞	12	....
Douglas Airc	7	52	51¼	51¼	— ⅛
Dow Chem	10	48½	48	48¼	+ ⅛
Dresser Indust	9	20¼	20	20¼	+ ⅛
Duplan Corp	7	12⅝	12½	12⅝	+ ⅛
du Pont de N	17	172½	170	172¼	+ ¼
du Pont pf	2	119¼	119	119	....
du Pont 3½ pf	5	98½	98	98	— ⅛
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Eastman Kodak	80	44⅝	43½	43½	—1⅛
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Edis Bros Strs	2	14⅝	14¼	14¼	— ⅛
Edis Bros St pf	1	90	90	90	....
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Elastic Stop N	1	6½	6½	6½	....
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Erie RR pf A	1	56	56	56	+ ⅛
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FAIRB MORSE	5	39½	39	39½	....
Fajardo Sug	8	22	21⅝	21⅝	— ⅛
Falstaff Brew	1	23¼	23¼	23¼	— ⅛
Farns Tel & R	72	7½	7½	7½	....
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Fed Mng & Sm	1	36⅝	36⅝	36⅝	— ⅛
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Fed D Strs pf	3	90½	90½	90½	— ⅛
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Waymack Is First To Quit Atom Board

W. W. (Bill) Waymack has resigned as a member of the United States Atomic Energy Commission the White House announced yesterday.

Waymack

Waymack, winner of a Pulitzer prize when he was editor of the Des Moines Register and Tribune, submitted his resignation to President Truman on November 9.

"My reasons for asking relief now," he told Mr. Truman, "are altogether compelling. I intend first of all, and for the first time in years that seem countless, to try and get some rest. It happens to be needed, for reasons not unrelated to a succession of attempts at public service, including this one."

The Chief Executive, in a letter written on Monday, accepted Waymack's resignation and praised him for his patriotism and public service. He said he had "earned" a rest.

Waymack's resignation, the first since the Atomic Energy Commission was set up, becomes effective on December 21.

Associates of the 60-year-old newspaperman said he was eager to return to his farm just outside of Des Moines, where he raises pedigreed stock and names the animals after his famous friends.

Apparently, Mr. Truman has not yet picked a successor to Waymack. White House Press Secretary Charles G. Ross told reporters late yesterday that the President will not be ready to announce a successor at his news conference at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

Waymack, in his letter of resignation, said he had not intended to serve beyond August 1 last, when his original term expired.

He recalled that, in March, Mr. Truman asked all the members of the commission to accepted reappointment for the staggered terms then prescribed by the Atomic Energy Act.

Republican leaders of the Senate, confident that the GOP would win the 1948 election, amended the act to extend the terms of the commissioners to two years. They thought that a Republican President ought to be in a position to make his own appointments to the commission.

Mr. Truman is expected to ask the Democratic-controlled Senate in the next Congress to strike out that amendment, so that he can give David Lilienthal a full, five-year appointment.

Waymack, in his letter, recalled that he agreed with Mr. Truman in March that the best way to maintain stability and continuity was to hold the commission "team" together for an additional period. But he also recalled telling the President that he was not committing himself to serving out his new term.

Mr. Truman, in commenting on Waymack's praise of his associates on the commission, said:

"It is most encouraging that after this period of pioneering work in control of a new and incalculable force, you are able to bear witness that key members, drawn from industry, Government and academy life, have responded to the unique challenge which the problem of this new force presented. Your own contributions to the commission and to the national interest have been exceedingly valuable."

New Eniwetok Warning Given

By The Associated Press

The United States yesterday posted a new "keep out" sign around its Eniwetok atomic weapons proving ground.

The general warning to ships and airplanes to stay far away from the area was issued by the Atomic Energy Commission. It will continue indefinitely.

The new order replaces a current danger warning due to expire at midnight December 31. The present warning was issued about a year ago, prior to tests of three atomic weapons last spring.

Eniwetok Atoll in the Pacific is the site of the commission's proving ground for routine experiments and tests of atomic weapons.

Actually, the test area is covered by two zones. The inner "restricted zone" embraces Eniwetok lagoon and the atoll on which a permanent weapon testing laboratory has been built. This zone is in the center of a "danger area" encompassing about 39,000 square miles of water. It is the one to be covered by the new order.

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65 Acres Rezoned As Community Unit

Arguments Slated

Montgomery Council Vote Case Today

The Maryland Court of Appeals is scheduled today to hear oral arguments on the legality of Montgomery County's scheduled January 6 charter council election.

A ruling may be handed down by Friday, before the appellate court adjourns for Christmas, a court attache has indicated.

The charter election fight was taken to Maryland's highest court by four Republican county commissioners who lost their plea this week in Montgomery County Circuit Court that the election is unconstitutional.

Today's appeals court arguments are expected to begin at 10 a. m. in Annapolis.

F. Barnard Welsh, legal adviser to the county commissioners now sitting as an interim council, meanwhile, announced that a public hearing set for Tuesday on a proposed county-wide fire code had been called off.

Welsh, who is opposing the election in the court case, said adoption of a fire code was a legislative act and, therefore, under this week's Circuit Court opinion, cannot be enacted by the interim council.

Curriculum Survey Begun

A survey has been launched aimed at overhauling courses at Arlington's Washington-Lee High School to bring its curriculum "more in line with college requirements."

Washington-Lee Principal Claude M. Richmond has named a committee of six faculty members, headed by Assistant Principal Mrs. Helen Finlay, to make the study. Richmond said the survey would require many months.

Mrs. Edmund Campbell, vice chairman of the Arlington School Board, said yesterday the study is being made at the suggestion of the State board of education as part of a State-wide program.

Although the school's courses are in no wise "old fashioned," Mrs. Campbell said it may need to change some courses to better fit students for the work they get in most colleges.

Principal Richmond said the committee plans to call in parents, present and former students, teachers, and administrators to confer on the needed course changes.

On the curriculum study committee, in addition to Mrs. Finlay, are Thomas Christie, head of the school's science department; Miss Lois Hassler, foreign language teacher; Miss Frances Keck, social science department; Forrest Peterson.

First apartments for a projected 300-acre planned community in Prince Georges County were approved yesterday by the county's commissioners, sitting as a rezoning board.

The planned community would cover the present McCormick-Goodhart estate, between Silver Spring and College Park.

The commissioners yesterday rezoned approximately 65 acres for a 1500-unit garden-type apartment development, which would be part of the community.

The commissioners also rezoned 10 acres at New Hampshire ave. and University la. for commercial development, also as part of the project.

The rezoning hearing was held in the County Service Building.

Fred W. Tuemmler, director of planning for the Princes Georges County regional district of the Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission, said his office had cooperated with Pierre Ghent & Associates, land planners for the estate, in preparing the plans for the planned community.

In addition to the apartment and shopping areas, the community will include one-family semidetached and detached residences. A 10-acre site has been reserved for an elementary school, the Commissioners were told, and 50 acres for parks and playgrounds.

The old Riggs Mill and Miller's cottage, historic landmarks, would be included in the park area.

The Eudist Fathers, a Catholic order whose property is centrally located in the estate, has agreed to a strip of land for street purposes, it was said. The terraced formal gardens of the estate are a part of the Eudist Fathers' property.

William Magazine was listed as president of the project development firm, the Standard Construction Co. Corning & Moore of Washington was listed as architects for the initial apartment project, which was estimated to be completed within 20 months.

Several scores of residents, during another hearing yesterday, opposed a 394-unit apartment project, estimated to cost about five million dollars, on 19 acres at Chillum rd. near Sargent rd.

The rezoning for this project was asked by T. Hammond Welsh, jr. The petition was taken under advisement.

The commissioners in other action, granted apartment house zoning for 12 lots owned by the Hyattsville Presbyterian Church at the Southwest corner of 42d ave. and Oglethorpe st. in Hyattsville; granted industrial rezoning for a 27-acre tract owned by Leo K. Donovan on Kenilworth ave. opposite Tuxedo rd., near Tuxedo; disapproved the application of Paul Kidwell for commercial zoning of 12,799 square feet on the west side of Kenilworth ave., south of Quincy st. near Bladensburg, and approved commercial rezoning for one lot on the south side of Defense Highway near the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad crossing, Bladensburg, two-family apartment zoning for one lot at 4312 40th pl., Brentwood, and for one lot on the west side of Edmonston rd., north of Quintana st. in Riverdale.

Order Redefined

'Hotel' Ban Liberalized In 7 Cases

The District Commissioners yesterday rewrote their definition of a Washington "hotel" to liberalize slightly license regulations recently adopted.

The amended definition will permit seven established hotels and apartment houses to continue advertising as hotels. They are:

Alban Towers, 3700 Massachusetts ave.; Endres Co., Inc., renamed Brownie's, 501 12th st. nw.; Gallean Apartments, 1929 Q st. nw.; Kennedy-Warren, 3133 Connecticut ave.; Occidental Hotel, 1411 Pennsylvania ave.; Hotel Pennsylvania, 20 F st. nw., and Town House, 601 19th st. nw. The new ruling states that hotels may continue to operate as such if:

1. They have been licensed as hotels for eight consecutive years prior to the license year 1949 (commencing November 1, 1948).

2. They continue to provide for transient guests at least the same facilities for food and lodging as were furnished on Oct. 31, 1948, and

3. They have not structurally altered their hotel property.

Chatham T. Nottingham, District license superintendent, explained that the regulation adopted by the Commissioners in September required that all establishments eligible for hotel licenses must have at least one kitchen, dining room accommodations for 30 guests and lodgings for an equal number.

Nottingham emphasized that more than 240 smaller establishments in the District, hitherto advertising as "hotel," must change their names to lodging houses or the like by October 31, 1949.

"We are giving these people a year to use up their marked towels, stationery etc.," he said.

800 to Hail Wright Plane

The Wright brothers' Kitty Hawk plane, which made the first man-carrying flight in 1903, will become the official property of the Smithsonian Institution Friday in ceremonies attended by aviation notables from all over the Nation.

The historic plane will come into permanent American custody, after 20 years in London's Kensington Museum, on December 17, which is the forty-fifth anniversary of its flight.

Eight hundred guests will attend the ceremonies in the north hall of the National Museum's Arts and Industries Building, where the Kitty Hawk has been hung. Among them will be John Moore, of Manteo, N. C., described as the last living person who watched the Kitty Hawk flight.

Milton Wright, nephew of Wilbur and Orville, will present the plane on behalf of the Orville Wright estate to Chief Justice Fred M. Vinson of the Supreme Court, who is chancellor of the Smithsonian.

Alben W. Barkley, Vice President-elect, a regent of the Smithsonian, will deliver the address of acceptance. A message from President Truman will be read by Col. Robert B. Landry.

Mahler Song Symphony Played With Fine Feeling by Symphony

By Paul Hume

Gustav Mahler's great song symphony, The Song of the Earth, was the main object of last night's National Symphony Concert in Constitution Hall.

The thousand-hued score was conducted by Hans Kindler, with Nell Tangeman, mezzo-soprano, and Harold Haugh, tenor, as soloists. Throughout the evening the orchestra played with radiant note and sumptuous color. The entire wind section, brass and wood alike, covered themselves with unending glory, and the strings produced a polished sound of rare beauty.

Solo players throughout the ensemble helped weave Mahler's searching spell. This is a work of moods. The fleeting joy of youth and beauty and spring, with wine to mellow the mind, passes into deeper shades of autumn and farewell with infinite tenderness.

Miss Tangeman projects the meaning and sound of Mahler's music with mature artistic insight. Her voice was never more handsome than last night, nor her true powers more fully revealed. The soft phrases that fill her lines were rapturously sung and full moments soared with ease.

Only in the rapid passage of horses' hoofbeats was she unable to eject the tone with proper carrying quality. She also should tone down her singing of the "stream" solo under the flute in the final section. Mahler indicates clearly that the singer must not cover the flute here, but Miss Tangeman overrode Wallace Mann's superb playing with no regard for balance.

Harold Haugh handled the fiendish difficulties of the tenor role with ease. We were surprised by the delicacy of his quiet singing, and his top notes in full voice carried over the orchestra at all times. His enunciation of the text could well be copied by many of his associates. It was a joy to realize his abilities in such a work.

Kindler delivered the massive work with understanding of its message, and with fine feeling for Mahler's unique sonorities. At times he allowed the orchestra to cover the mezzo, and there were moments when the players were not at one with the conductor, owing to an incomprehensible beat. Mahler is specific as to the method of directing the final movement but Kindler preferred another course. It did not make for the ultimate in precision.

But for the rare privilege of listening for an hour to Mahler's personal meditations in such regal realms of sound, we are grateful. The conductor's own humming with soloists, and his now customary dropping of the baton in the midst of the music, can be overlooked. It is more difficult to excuse the cut in the final section of the work.

11th Airborne to Return

Tokyo, Dec. 15 (U.P.).—The United States Eleventh Airborne Division, now occupying the northern half of Japan, will leave in February and be replaced by an infantry division from the United States, reliable sources said today.

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Tax Overlap Talks Offered Mayors

The American Municipal Association, winding up a four-day conference yesterday with worried talks about how to finance city services, received a cheering offer from Secretary of the Treasury John W. Snyder.

Snyder, principal speaker at the AMA's silver anniversary luncheon in the Statler Hotel, offered to meet with officials of the AMA to discuss the entire relationship of Federal, State and city taxes.

The cabinet official suggested the conference after leaders of the ANA, which represents 9500 municipalities, complained of overlapping of forms of taxation between the governmental units with the municipal groups receiving the short end on income.

The newly elected president of the association, Mayor DeLesseps S. Morrisen of New Orleans, hailed the invitation as "one of the most important actions in the municipal finance field" and said "it was a most heartening step."

Carl H. Chatters, executive director of the association, told reporters the meeting will probably be held in February.

At a session preceding the luncheon, final event of the conference, the 500 delegates adopted a policy that "unless the State provides adequate revenue by other measures, municipalities which can administer them should be authorized to use as local taxes the payroll-income tax, local sales taxes, license taxes based on volume of business, cigarette and tobacco taxes, amusement or admissions taxes, hotel taxes, liquor taxes, utility taxes, and various service charges."

The city counselor of St. Louis, George L. Stemmler, outlined a tax plan devised to catch "daylight citizens"—nonresidents who use city services—for revenue. The plan requires employers to withhold an earnings tax on all employes and to remit same quarterly. For this work, they are permitted to deduct 3 per cent for their trouble.

Step Is Taken For Michigan Senate Recount

Michigan election officials were asked yesterday to save all ballots in the November 2 Senate race between Republican Senator Homer Ferguson and Democrat Frank E. Hook, former Representative, for a possible recount.

The request was made by Senator William E. Jenner (R., Ind.) as chairman of the Senate Elections Subcommittee.

Hook has filed with the subcommittee a "notice of intent" to contest the election in which Ferguson was declared winner by a 44,827 vote margin. He has not yet filed formal charges.

The request to impound the ballots, Jenner said, will not interfere with Ferguson's right to his seat to start a second term January 3, because he already has received a certificate of election from his State.

Italy Ends Sugar Ration

Rome, Dec. 15 (AP).—Sugar will be removed from rationing tomorrow, for the first time since 1939.

Overload Downed Bermuda Airliner, Says CAB Report

The Civil Aeronautics Board said yesterday that a 5000-pound overload and "improper flight planning" caused the Bermuda Sky Queen to make an emergency landing in the North Atlantic more than a year ago.

The big flying boat, operated by American International Airways, ran out of fuel on a flight from Ireland to New York via Gander, Newfoundland. All 62 passengers and 7 crew members were rescued in a raging gale by the Coast Guard weather ship Bibb.

The board said in its official report that the plane left Ireland without "sufficient fuel on board in its overloaded condition to complete the intended flight safely."

Further, it said, no control flight plan was prepared before the takeoff, and the crew failed to use available weather data to make a correct determination of the plane's position or speed.

End of Malaria in U. S. Seen Near

New York, Dec. 15 (AP).—The United States is on the verge of completely ending malaria in this country.

About three more years' use of the insecticide DDT should do it, said Dr. S. W. Simmons of the United States Public Health Service, Savannah, Ga., in an interview at the American Association of Economic Entomologist today.

Malaria, known as chills and ague, afflicted netarly half the people of the United States until about 50 years ago. Since then mosquito campaigns have gradually reduced it, until only about 20 States now have this disease.

In these 20 a five-year campaign begun last year, already has cut the disease so fast that Dr. Simmons said there is danger people will think malaria is gone, and stop their campaigns too soon.

"But we still must break the chain," he said. "Breaking means to cut down the cases long enough so that the final few cases don't get bitten by the mosquitoes that carry malaria, or if bitten, the mosquitoes don't bite any other human beings."

Some mosquitoes resist killing by DDT, but Dr. Simmons said these are not enough to prevent eradicating malaria.

Royall Reaches Athens

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Edward M. Swing, 60-year-old coffee merchant, was sued yesterday in District Court for $75,000.

The suit charges that Swing shot Malcolm M. Talbert, 1737 Minnesota ave. se., a former employe of Swing. Talbert charges assault and battery and says he must remain under medical care for "a long period in the future," according to his attorney, Maurice A. Guervitz.

The incident took place December 3 in Swing's office at 1012 E st. nw. It was the result, police said, of a series of arguments and quarrels. Swing told police Talbert threatened him with a paperweight. Talbert was wounded twice in the left thigh.

The $75,000 asked includes compensatory and punitive damages. According to the suit, Swing's act was reckless, negligent and in violation of criminal laws here.

News Conference Today

President Truman will hold a news conference at 4 p. m. (EST) today.

B&A Strikers Accept 10 Cent Wage Increase

Baltimore, Dec. 15 (AP).—Striking Baltimore & Annapolis Railway employes agreed to return to work last night after the company granted an increase of 10 cents an hour.

The settlement was announced a little less than one week after the strike began.

Bruce P. Lilson, presidential executive assistant, said full bus service would be resumed Thursday, but that the road's 49 electric trains would not be operated again until an inspection has been made of the roadbed and overhead electric lines.

The 25-mile line furnishes bus and train service to the area between Baltimore and Annapolis.

Salesman Held on Charge of Rape

A 39-year-old steel factory owner in Kansas, now an automobile salesman because of the steel shortage, was charged with rape yesterday by Montgomery County police.

The man, Paul Theodore Kratzmaier, 1420 21st st. nw., was held without bond in the county jail at Rockville pending a preliminary hearing on the charge Monday in Bethesda Police Court.

Reported victim of the alleged assault, said to have taken place early last Sunday, was a 31-year-old Government clerk who lives near the District Line at Bethesda.

Police said the woman and a girl friend met Kratzmaier at a dance Saturday night in the Roosevelt Hotel, and both accepted his offer to take them home.

After delivering the other woman home, the reported victim told police, Kratzmaier drove past her home to the end of Chevy Chase blvd. and forced his attentions on her.

Police quoted the woman as saying she lost consciousness and they said an examination Sunday by a private physician disclosed she had been raped.

County and Washington police and Federal Bureau of Investigation agents arrested Kratzmaier at a Bethesda automobile agency where he is employed.

Taking Pictures

Learners Told How to Use Flash Bulbs

By Ollie Atkins

THE gay glow of multi-colored tree lights will be subdued by blinding blasts of photoflash lamps in many homes this Christmas and it comes to our attention that many of the picture makers will be using their gift speed guns for the first time and others will have worries over the outcome of their flash efforts.

At any camera shop you can get a booklet with complete instructions for proper use of flashbulbs. However, we intend to condense here some exposure information in nutshell form which will help you get good flash shots right now.

On setting forth a set of general rules for flash pictures we encounter the same old story of various sizes and types of bulbs plus the additional headache of minifold film emulsion speeds. But let's assume that all flash bulbs come in two size groups—peanut and medium. Films will be rated as medium (Weston 50) and fast (Weston 100).

Many snapshooters do not know that the distance of the camera from the subject has nothing to do with exposure. What counts is the accurate measurement of the distance from the subject to the flash bulb—this distance only determines lens stop aperture.

Experienced photographers know that this rule varies with light and dark subjects, synchronizers, lenses and type of reflector behind the bulb. Still you will not go far wrong by sticking to a careful measurement of the distance from the flash bulb to the principal point of interest in your picture. This measurement is the all-important figure in getting your correct exposure.

The chart below will serve as a useful guide and reward you with many successful photoflash pictures:

Exposure on fast film		Distance bulb to subject	Exposure on slow film	
Large bulb	Small bulb	Footage	Small bulb	Large bulb
F/32	F/22	6	F/16	F/22
F/16	F/11	10	F/11	F/16
F/11	F/8	15	F/8	F/11

Note: This chart is approxmately accurate for all types of indoor pictures or out-of-doors pictures at night. It can be used for calculating exposure with hand flash or synchronized speed guns. In case of doubt use our recommended exposure and with your second shot stop the lens down one place.

GEORGE M. DORSEY of Warner-Pathe News succeeds A.P. Photographer Byron Rollins as president of the White House news photographers. Newly elected vice president at the recent election meeting was Syndicate Photographer Bob Clover of Acme. Secretary Arthur E. Scott and Treasurer Ollie Atkins held their posts. The new executive board includes: Anthony Muto, John Tondra, Byron Rollins and Paul Schmick.

The grapevine advises me that a revolutionary new film has been developed with a practical speed some four times faster than the present high speed films. It is still so secret not even a release of its existence has been revealed.

Washington picture makers took a high place in Tom Maloney's new salon book "The U. S. Camera Annual, 1949." Its 392 pages represent the best in pictorial and news photography during the past year. Local photogs having pictures in the book are G. Bradford Kress, Robert Brockhurst, Howard Potter, Norton Benson, Marion Carpenter, Arthur Scott and William J. Smith.

Limned Ice . . .

"BRRRRRR"—The temperature isn't low enough to present such a scene as this hereabouts, but the icy picture may give you another idea on wintertime use of your camera. Picture was made with a Rolleiflex, exposure 1/25th at F/4.5

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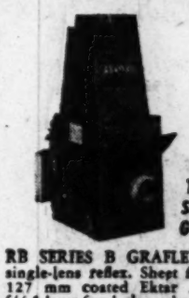

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One on the Aisle—

The Ad Writers Blow a Gasket

By Richard L. Coe

KEITH'S AD in yesterday's paper was so entertaining that I decided I couldn't mar so delicious an exhilaration by actually going to see its double bill.

I hope you didn't miss that four-column ad. Touting the excitements of a double bill that's been breaking records across the country, it described the wonders of "The Last Days of Pompeii" and "She" in terms and drawings so expressive that I was thoroughly mesmerized through my ninth cup of breakfast coffee. By then it was too late to catch the wonders before deadline time and, anyway, I couldn't have had half the fun.

"Never before!" the ad began, "Two Such Mighty, Spectacular Screen Triumphs in One Wonder Show!" On one side were drawings of spectacular crowds, on the other a diaphanously clad lady holding up a sign which warned you, "Doors open at 9:45 a. m."

"The last days of a city of SIN," the ad went on. "Pompeii . . . proud and mighty until one man's lust for power was paid off with violent death!" "SEE!" it shrieked: "Pagan revels! . . . Beauty for Sale! . . . Deadly Eruption of Vesuvius! . . . Arena of Death! . . . Lust-mad Mobs! . . . Dancing Slave Girls! . . . Sea of Death! . . ."

Its twin was equally titivating, describing H. Rider Haggard's old novel with Helen Gahagan Douglas in the title role, filmed, needless to say, some 15 years before that lady's present congressional rank.

"Young and Beautiful for 500 Years!" the type cried—"And Wicked Every One of Them! "SEE!" an insert proclaimed, "Human Sacrifice! . . . Lake of Fire! . . . Flame of Eternal Life! . . . Fabulous Kingdom of Kor! . . . The Mystery World! . . . Men Enslaved by Barbaric Queen! . . . The Flood of Doom!"

"1001 Scenes That Stagger the Imagination! Mammoth Cast of 10,000 Players," ended the invitation.

All this brought me back to the dear dead days when I was stronger and able to face such juicy enthrallments. Television, traffic and electric blankets, though, have worn me down. Gadgets that enable you to pour an exact jigger of gin in the dark and house keys with concealed electric lights have softened me. Three hours of such drastic excitement would leave me a craven wreck, for which Manager Hardie Meakin would have to summon one of Mr. Chambers' long, dignified wagons.

THIS DOUBLE BILL has not only been a sensation everywhere it's played; it's also the cause of a good laugh . . . When "Pompeii" was at the New York Palace at a buck a head a few weeks ago, it was being shown for free by a church about a mile away . . . Both pictures, made 15 years ago, had been released in 16-mm form for the school and church circuit . . . Their success as a double bill, Variety notes, probably will net RKO a half million.

MR. MEAKIN'S colorful present, though, is but a prelude to definite Yule and New Year cheer . . . Wednesday next, Keith's will present Robert Mitchum, Barbara Bel Geddes and Robert Preston in "Blood On the Moon," from Luke Short's magazine serial of derring-do on an Indian reservation of the late '60s . . . The last day of 1948, a Friday, will be the opening day for the new Cary Grant comedy, "Every Girl Should Be Married," which probably will last the 15th st. aficionados until the opening, on January 19, of "Joan of Arc," with Ingrid Bergman.

KEITH'S isn't the only downtown house afflicted with holidayitis, a germ which persuades movie houses to change their normal opening days . . . The Palace will toss over its usual Thursday opening next week again for a Tuesday opening of "You Gotta Stay Happy" . . . This is the Joan Fontaine-Jimmy Stewart comedy about the richest girl in the world who finds that, while the psychiatrists advise her to enjoy married life with impressive Willard Parker, life with lean, lank Jimmy is more fun.

OTHER YULE theater tidings include the Saturday premiere of the Trans-Lux feature picture scheme . . . "Enchantment," a Sam Goldwyn film starring David Niven, Teresa Wright and Farley Granger, is the picture and was, by the way, last night's "sneak preview" film . . . "The Red Shoes," at the National, and both "Hamlets"—at the Playhouse and Little—scheduled New Year's Eve midnight performance; seats now at all box offices . . . And, on the subject of Christmas, why not give the little stubs for Yooole?

CARL GREEN, the WQQW kiddies man, will give a special show Saturday afternoon at 3:30 at the Lincoln Congregational Church, 11th and R sts., as a benefit for the Inter-racial Nursery School, sponsored by the Women's Auxiliary of the United Public Workers-CIO . . . The winner of the Peabody Award for his popular children's radio program calls his entertainment "Children's Festival of Stories and Songs," and will be aided by Mira Gilbert, the folksinger . . . Tickets at Brentano's on F st. or at the door.

THE MONTGOMERY PLAYERS are having tryouts Friday night at 8:30 for "The Male Animal," which comedy will be their January production . . . Auditions will be held in the Bethesda-Chevy Chase Recreation Center, with Mary Heinemann as director.

SONJA'S BACK—Absent four years, Sonja Henie returns to the Capitol screen this morning in "The Countess of Monte Cristo." This comedy with music finds the skater in a role of bogus nobility accompanied by Olga San Juan, Michael Kirby and Dorothy Hart (in the background) and Arthur Treacher, as seen by Caricaturist Bob Moore

Negro Born Here Named Justice Of Boston Court

Boston, Dec. 15 (AP).—A Negro was named a special justice in Boston today. G. Bruce Robinson of Boston, secretary of the executive council for the last two years, was appointed a special justice of the Boston Juvenile Court. State officials said they believed Robinson was the first Negro judge in the 300-year history of Massachusetts.

Under the council rules, this judicial appointment by Gov. Robert F. Bradford must wait for one week for action.

Robinson, a native of Washington, D. C., is a graduate of Williams College and Boston University law school. He served for five years as a professor at Livingstone College in North Carolina.

Furtwaengler To Lead Chicago Symphony

Vienna, Austria, Dec. 15 (U.P.).—Wilhelm Furtwaengler, German conductor, has decided to accept an offer to conduct the Chicago Philharmonic Orchestra for two months beginning next October, his Austrian manager, Alfred Dietz, said tonight.

He has been the subject of international controversy in the music world since he appeared at a concert before Adolf Hitler and other Nazi party leaders. Because of that performance he was blacklisted by the Allies in 1945 at the end of the war. But he was later cleared of charges of pro-Nazi sympathies before a German denazification board.

Show Times for Screen Attractions

Warner—"The Decision of" Christopher Blake," Alexis Smith and Ted Donaldson in the Moss Hart story about a boy's efforts to keep his parents from divorce, at 11:45 a. m., 1:45, 3:50, 5:55, 7:55 and 10 p. m.

Palace—"Night Has a Thousand Eyes," Edward G. Robinson plays a vaudeville crystal-gazer who finds he really can foretell the future; John Lund is featured, at 11:40 a. m., 1:40, 3:40, 5:40, 7:45 and 9:45 p. m.

Capitol—"The Countess of Monte Cristo," Sonja Henie skates back in a comedy with Michael Kirby and Olga San Juan, at 11:15 a. m., 1:55, 4:35, 7:15 and 9:50 p. m. Stage shows at 1:05, 3:45, 6:25 and 9:05 p. m.

RKO-Keith's—"She," reissue of the H. Rider Haggard novel, with Helen Gahagan Douglas, at 11:30 a. m., 2:30, 6 and 9:15 p. m. "The Last Days of Pompeii," reissue of the Vesuvian outburst with Preston Foster, at 10 a. m., 1:10, 4:25, 7:35 and 10:50 p. m.

National—"Red Shoes," a British Technicolor film about the ballet and its people, at 2:30 and 8:30 p. m.

Metropolitan—"Moonrise," a melodrama with Dane Clark, Gail Russell and Miss Ethel Barrymore, at 11:35 a. m., 1:35, 3:40, 5:40, 7:40 and 9:45 p. m.

Columbia—"The Three Musketeers," Gene Kelly tops a star-studded cast in M. Dumas' derring-do, handsomely staged, at 11:30 a. m., 2, 4:35, 7:10 and 9:45 p. m.

Playhouse—"Hamlet," Sir Lawrence Olivier's adaptation of the great play maker a great movie, at 2:30 and 8:30 p. m.

Little—"Hamlet," at 2:30 and 8:30 p. m.

Hippodrome—"Quiet Weekend," one of those gently humorous British comedies, at 2:25, 4:15, 6:05, 8 and 9:50 p. m.

Dupont—"The Eternal Return," Jean Marais in Jean Cocteau's imaginative retelling of the Tristan legend, at 1, 2:45, 4:30, 6:15, 8 and 9:50 p. m.

Pix—"Africa Speaks," at 2:20, 4:35, 7:05 and 9:25 p. m. "Goona-Goona," at 3:20, 5:35, 8:05 and 10:25 p. m.

Trans-Lux—Short subjects and news reels continuous from 10:15 a. m. to 12 midnight.

Ambassador—"The Decision of Christopher Blake," at 1:30, 3:30, 5:35, 7:35 and 9:45 p. m.

Dutch See New Java Fighting Near

Batavia, Java, Dec. 15 (U.P.).—The Dutch army announced today that violent clashes with Indonesian Republican raiders had reached a year-long high in the past week, and hinted that an attack on Batavia was in the offing.

The announcement increased belief that large-scale fighting in Java might be resumed soon.

An army communique reported that 330 "incidents," including 67 cases of murder or attempted murder of pro-Dutch Indonesians had occured in Dutch-occupied territory during the week. "Republican infiltration tactics" were blamed for the clashes.

The Dutch recently broke off long negotiations with the Republic.

Dutch Reported Getting U. S. Note on Indonesia

The Hague, The Netherlands, Dec. 15 (AP).—Dutch newspapers said today the Netherlands government has received a new note from the United States on the Indonesian crisis.

The note made clear that the United States Department believes it is possible for the Dutch government to continue negotiations with the Indonesian Republic through the good offices commission of the United Nations in Batavia, the newspapers said.

There was no confirmation at the United States Embassy.

Bramuglia Flies to Rio

Miami, Fla., Dec. 15 (AP).—Foreign Minister Juan A. Bramuglia of Argentina left today by Pan American Airways plane for Rio de Janeiro en route to Buenos Aires.

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CALVERT 2324 Wis. Ave. N.W. WO 7345 Mat. 1 P.M.
Victor Mature in "CRY OF THE CITY," at 1:00, 3:00, 5:00, 7:15, 9:30.

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Greer Garson in "JULIA MISBEHAVES," at 6:00, 7:55, 10:00.

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PERRELL—From P. 1

make his attack on the woman a rape?"

Mrs. Johnson had testified that on the night of September 6, Perrell stopped her as she neared her home, after alighting from a bus about a block and a half away. She said he forced her into his car, locked the door, struck her at least thrice, and threatened her life at that time. She was badly bruised from the assault, it was said.

However, the testimony was that he then drove her 2 miles before the sexual act took place on a secluded street. During the drive there was no repetition of the blows or threats, the defense maintained.

Say Consent Indicated

Defense Attorneys Ford and Wesley E. McDonald argued that the sexual intercourse was without force and that the woman's actions indicated consent.

Assistant United States Attorney John C. Conliff, jr., who asked for the death penalty, argued:

"This man was a stranger in town. Because he thought nobody knew him, he thought he could run wild. He threatened to kill. I believe he is the type that would have killed this housewife had she not given in."

Later, in an interview, Mrs. Johnson said:

"I struggled with him. I screamed and tooted the horn. Several neighbors said they heard the screams but thought it was a family living on this street at that time, who fought noisily on many occasions. If my screams didn't bring help here, what help would it have been to scream at the secluded place he took me?

"I tried to open the car door and get out. After he brought me back to the house, he had to open it for me. Maybe there was something wrong with the door handle. I was stunned and hysterical, maybe that's why I couldn't get it open," she declared.

Has Lost Her Job, She Says

"If such a thing should ever happen to me again, I'd never report it. It wasn't easy for me to go down to that court room and testify before all those people about what happened. It isn't easy for me now with all the publicity I've gotten. I lost my job because of this," Mrs. Johnson said.

She explained that immediately after the rape was reported, she was taken off the day shift where she worked and put on night hours. She said she handed in her resignation at the time, because "I'd be afraid now to come home late at night.

When she learned that her husband was trying to get her a permit to carry a small gun, she told her employers, who then agreed not to accept the resignation.

"I went on vacation. A few days later I was notified by mail that my resignation had been accepted. There was no explanation why, but what else could be the reason except the publicity from this terrible thing?" she said.

Her husband said he believed that his being a policeman had influenced the jury toward bringing in the acquittal.

"Those juries don't like policemen," he declared.

The Johnsons produced a letter, written to them shortly before the trial by Mrs. Temple Garner, who is Perrell's step-mother. It read:

"May I say a few words. In regards to my son the only child I have, Elvid Perrell, he has always been a good boy.

"I am so awful sorry this trouble happened, his father is dead. His wife's father and mother are both dead. Elvid and the family are grieved beyond words. Will you please have mercy on him that he may raise his two small children. May the Lord be with us all."

"We didn't answer that letter. Did he show my wife mercy in that car?" Johnson asked.

Hybrid Corn Aids Italy

Rome, Dec. 15 (U.P.).—The Marshall Plan's most important contribution to Italy so far has been the introduction of hybrid corn seed, James D. Zellerbach, Economic Cooperation Administrator chief

The Washington Post

ONE, HAPPY FAMILY—Elvid H. Perrell, 26-year-old North Carolina farmer, found innocent yesterday of a charge of raping the attractive blonde wife of a Park policeman, is joyfully reunited with his wife and sons, Melvin, 2, and Jerry, 4, after a District Court jury returned the verdict. They embraced in a courthouse corridor

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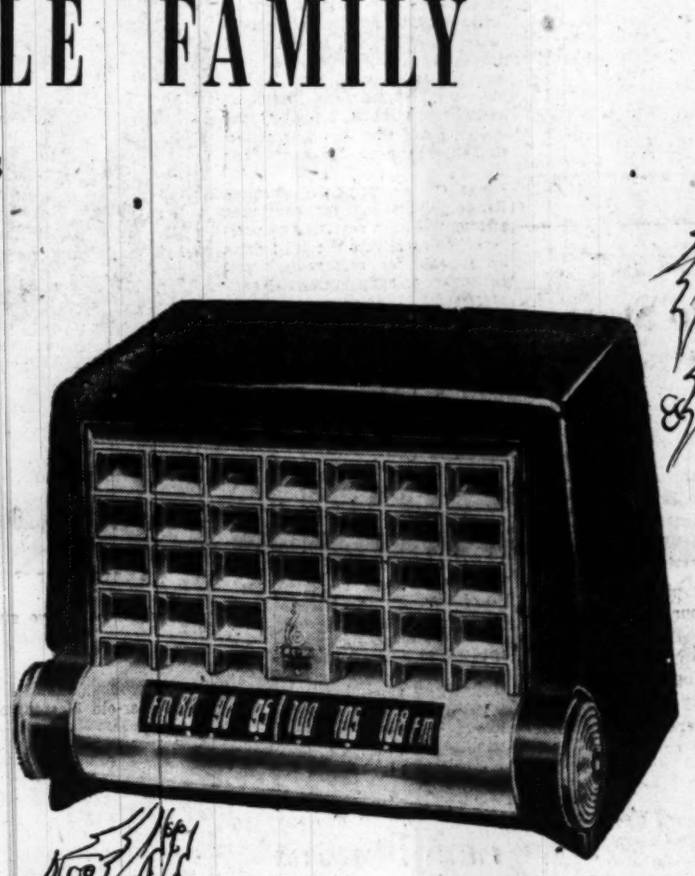

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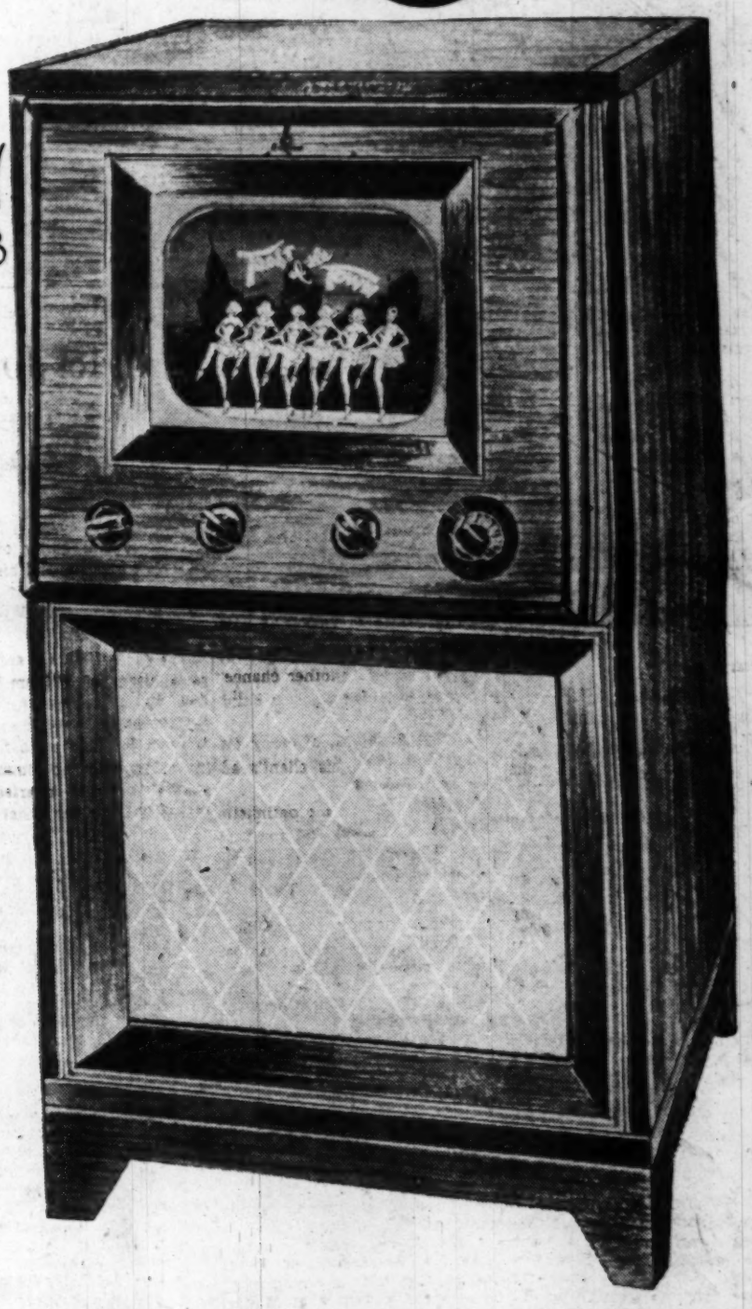

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The Federal Diary

by Jerry Kluttz

Plan Would Divide Maritime Commission Into Two Agencies

The Maritime Commission would be split up into two separate agencies if the recommendations in a report before the Hoover Commission staff which made a study for the Government's transportation agencies for the commission.

The present five-man commission would be cut down to three members and made into a regulatory and policy agency. It would have about the same relation to water carriers as the Civil Aeronautics Board now has to air carriers. The commission would retain jurisdiction over these activities:

Ship construction and operating subsidies, merchant marine labor standards, regulation of water carriers, and to determine the value of obsolete ships traded in to the commission.

The report emphasizes that the commission's regulatory functions should not be transferred to the Interstate Commerce Commission as has been suggested. It does propose a substantial salary increase for commission members.

The remaining function—the big administrative activities—would be put in a new agency to be called the Maritime Administration. This agency would be in either the proposed new department of transportation if it's created, or the Commerce Department. The Maritime Administration would have control over:

The reserve fleet; ship construction sale, charter and operation of Government vessels; operation of the construction reserve funds and the Federal Ship Mortgage Insurance, and the investigation and determination of essential trade routes.

Meantime, stout opposition has developed with the Hoover Commission on the creation of a department of transportation as recommended strongly by the Brookings task force: Transportation interests are lobbying against it.

PEOPLE: Ralph E. Updike, a former member of Congress from Indianapolis, has registered as a lobbyist for the National Customs Association, an effective union of customs employes . . . at Navy's Bureau of Supplies and Accounts, meritorious civilian service awards have been made to Edward L. Jordan, Ethel M. Martin, Jane Garry, and Elsie M. Fairfax . . . Frederick Flinn will retire this weekend after 42 years of faithful service to Uncle Sam. He's the executive assistant to the Maritime secretary.

BOOM: Federal employment in the executive branch here jumped up 1338 during October to a total of 209,374. The big increases during that month were made in the Air Force and Veterans' Administration. The total of all Government people here now, Federal and District, is estimated to be close to 250,000.

Over-all, the number of Federal workers declined by 19,281 during October. The figure, including 210,000 overseas, stood at 2,089,690 on November 1.

PENTAGON: Parking sections at this largest of office buildings will be assigned to the Army, Navy, Air Forces and the Defense Secretary. Each of these branches will appoint a parking control officer who will parcel out the spaces. A fifth section will be held in reserve for visitors and the overflow. At the Pentagon area is space for upward of 6500 cars.

EXAMS: Civil Service is accepting applications for substitute railway mail clerk, veterinarian, and student nurses at St. Elizabeths Hospital. An exam is open for employe relations assistant to fill jobs in the nearby States but outside of the metropolitan area.

INTERIOR: John C. Jones is this department's nominee for the Arthur S. Flemming award which is to be given annually by the Washington Junior Chamber of Commerce for outstanding Government service. An employe of the Fish and Wildlife Service, Jones contributed to the health and economic welfare of this city through a city-wide rat-control program.

RETIREMENT: You can look for the organization of retired Federal workers to request Congress for another boost in their annuities. A bill is being drafted which would base the pensions on the salaries paid by Uncle Sam. As salaries rise, so would annuities.

But a reverse idea is being kicked around by the staff of the Senate Civil Service Committee. In event the bill to raise salaries of Federal executives is passed, there is talk that the pensions of top-bracket officials should be limited. In other words, some device to prevent executives from drawing retirement benefits on the proposed larger salaries. It's a pipsqueak idea.

FSA: Dr. Paul H. Keyes is the newest member of the Employes Compensation Appeals Board which is in the Federal Security Agency.

UPWA: The left-wing United Public Workers has requested Civil Service's new fair employment board to investigate what it claims is discrimination against Negroes at the Bureau of Engraving and Printing. It charges that the bureau refuses to promote Negroes to clerical and administrative jobs, and that it has refused to hire Negroes as skilled craftsmen or to admit Negroes to apprentice training programs.

Group Urges County Move On Zone Law Violations

Special Committee Recommends New Officials to Aid In Montgomery

Strict enforcement of Montgomery County zoning laws, relaxed during wartime, was recommended yesterday by a special committee on zoning enforcement.

Reporting after months of study, the special committee proposed zoning enforcement "without further delay."

The committee was made up of Wesley I. Sauter, county commissioner; Dwight B. Galt, Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission; Louis A. Gravelle, County Board of Zoning Appeals; Walter W. Dawson, county State's attorney, and J. Bond Smith, general counsel for the Maryland National Capital Park and Planning Commission.

Under a plan proposed by the group, general violations would be dealt with through injunction from Circuit Court, and local violations through criminal proceedings in Trial Magistrate's or Circuit Court.

Appointment of a full-time zoning officer "who may require one or two assistants" and hiring of an additional assistant State's attorney to prosecutor violators also were recommended.

The committee found, according to Smith, that the doubling up in single family residences constituted the most common type of violation.

Realty Agent Loses License Over Funds

A Washington man, accused of withholding $5474 in rent money collected from three apartment houses, yesterday lost his real estate broker's license.

The District Real Estate Commission revoked the broker's license of James E. Tucker of 3515 14th st. nw. after hearing his attorney plead for "another chance" at a hearing in the District Building.

Leonard A. Block, attorney for Tucker, explained his client's actions by testifying:

"It seems he was too optimistic in a seller's market and some of his investments went sour and he did not have enough backing to cover them."

Tucker, according to specifications, had appropriated some of the rent money belonging to apartment owners, Paul Cladias and James Mandes, for whom he acted as rental agent.

The properties involved are located at 321 18th st. se, 4901 1st st. ne, and 4825 N. Capitol st.

Block told the commission that Tucker's "lapse" was only a brief one and that he has made full restitution.

Attorney Lewis Jacobs, representing Cladias and Mandes, confirmed that a satisfactory settlement had been made.

Assistant Corporation Counsel Edward A. Beard declared at the hearing that "this is a serious offense which covers a great deal of money over a fairly long period of time."

The case first came to light when the owners were notified by Tax Collector Guy Pearson that their taxes were overdue. The owners had been under the impression, the commission was told, that Tucker was withholding the rent money to pay taxes and interest charges on their property.

Tucker will have 30 days in which to appeal to District Court.

Kiwanis to Hear Coulter

Dr. A. Barklie Coulter, director of the District Health Department's Bureau of Tuberculosis, will be principal speaker at the Kiwanis Club luncheon today at the Mayflower Hotel. The weekly get-together will begin at 12:30 p. m.

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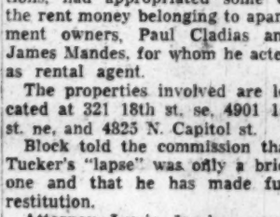

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Man, 66, Who Ran Into Truck Dies in Hospital of Injuries

A 66-year-old paper hanger died yesterday at Leland Memorial Hospital of injuries he suffered Saturday when he ran into the side of a truck at Rhode Island ave. and Shepherd st., Brentwood, Md.

He was Gaither Lee Funk of 4229 29th st., Mount Rainier, Md. A certificate of accidental death was issued by Dr. John T. Maloney, Prince Georges County medical examiner.

The truck driver, Milton W. Crawford, 41, a plumber of 3814 38th st., Brentwood, was booked on a technical charge of manslaughter. A hearing in Hyattsville Police Court was set for December 20.

In Washington, Abraham Winkler, 72, a salesman of 525 6th st. nw., was critically injured when struck by a streetcar as he ran across the intersection and against the light at 7th and G sts. nw. He was admitted to Emergency Hospital. Police listed the motorman as Daniel H. Berry, 60, of 610 I st. nw.

Woman Is Injured

Mrs. Santa Caffo, 39, of 1034 N. Taylor st., Arlington, was admitted to Casualty Hospital suffering from scalp lacerations and a possible concussion after the auto in which she was riding collided with a streetcar at 4th and G sts. nw.

Her son, Venerando J. Caffo, 17, who was driving the car, was treated for injuries to his left hand at Casualty Hospital. Police said the streetcar was operated by Arthur S. Fleshman, 27, of 8908 Baltimore ave., Berwyn, Md.

David R. McClain, 20, manager of the Shirlington Theater, was admitted to Alexandria Hospital with a possible broken back after a two-car collision at Dewitt and Windsor aves. in Alexandria. McClain lives at 1111 S. Washington st. Driver of the other auto was Julian T. Rawlett of RFD 1, Alexandria, police said.

A 65-year-old pedestrian, fatally injured in the District December 8 when he was dragged underneath a streetcar, met death through his own carelessness, a coroner's jury ruled yesterday.

The victim, George W. Ridgeway of Ardmore, Md., was rapping on the closed door of the streetcar, which had just started to leave the loading platform at Kenilworth and Deane aves. ne., when he apparently lost his balance and fell underneath the car, witnesses said.

The streetcar operator, Coy A. White, 29, of 1551 Fort Dupont st. se., who was exonerated by the jury's verdict, said he was unaware of the accident until he came back to the spot on his return trip from Seat Pleasant, Md.

Laid Off From Job

Police said Ridgeway had been laid off from his job as a welder in Rosslyn, Va., and was on his way home from his last day at work when the accident occurred.

Several witnesses testified that before the streetcar approched the loading platform, Ridgeway had stumbled and fallen while crossing the car tracks.

White

They said he was bleeding slightly about the head, but that he declared he was all right after two men helped him to his feet.

About four or five passengers got on the streetcar when it stopped. The car was crowded and the motorman closed the front doors and started off just as Ridgeway reached out and knocked on the door for admittance, witnesses said.

He then fell backwards and appeared to roll under the streetcar behind the front door. He was dragged 14 feet along the tracks before he was thrown clear of the vehicle. Witnesses said they whistled and called after the streetcar, which did not stop.

White did not take the stand yesterday. However, in a statement to police, which was read at the inquest, he declared that he did not hear anyone rap on the door nor did he hear anyone call out after he left the car stop.

Ridgeway was admitted to Casualty Hospital, where he died the next day.

Son Quits, Too

District Job Is Resigned By Phoebus

An assistant building inspector, recently found guilty of submitting false reports, and his 25-year-old son employed by the same District government department, resigned yesterday.

The Commissioners accepted the resignations of William M. Phoebus, 56, a District building inspector of 22 years' standing, and William S. Phoebus, a fire safety inspector, with "no comment" and suggestions that queries be directed to the elder Phoebus.

"I am too old," Phoebus told The Washington Post last night. "I just didn't want to work there any more." He said his son had quit because he had found better employment.

The elder Phoebus last August 13 was charged with submitting "false" reports on certain District buildings he had not inspected, disobeying "direct orders" of superiors and being absent from duty without authority.

District Building officials further charged that Phoebus had gone to the movies when he was supposed to be inspecting buildings. The offenses took place last July 8, 9, 12, 14 and 23.

Later John B. Diamond, attorney for Phoebus, testified at closed hearings that his client had been ill with ulcers and had gone to the movies for relaxation.

At the conclusion of the hearings before Engineer Commissioner Gordon R. Young, Phoebus was found guilty and officially reprimanded. He was suspended without pay for 60 days.

Both resignations become effective Monday. The elder Phoebus, who lives at 13 Maryland ave. Gaithersburg, Md., earned $3773. His son, who lives in Baltimore, had a base salary of $2770.

Dental Care Plan to Start Next Month

An innovation in the field of prepaid medical care—dental treatment for 15,500 members of the Group Health Association—will begin early in January.

The announcement was made yesterday by William E. Warne, Assistant Secretary of the Interior and president of GHA.

A staff of four dentists and their assistants will operate a 12-chair dental clinic at 1025 Vermont ave. nw. Dr. Irving Lichtman is acting temporarily as director.

Members were urged to include dependents in enrolling for treatment.

Applicants will pay $10 for each adult and $5 for each child as an annual deposit to be applied toward fees for diagnostic, preventive and treatment services.

Purpose of the program is to offer comprehensive dental services of high quality at reasonable cost.

GHA is a corparation which originated a group health insurance plan for Government workers. Anyone may now apply for membership. It is operated through monthly fees paid by members, plus a $10 fee upon joining to cover a physical examination.

Ramspeck Not To Contest Suit For Apartment

Former Congressman Robert Ramspeck of Georgia declared yesterday he will not contest a suit for possession of his apartment at the Broadmoor.

Clarifying his position, Ramspeck said he has paid his rent until January and plans to leave the apartment on February 1. Ramspeck said he has not opposed the newly formed cooperative venture at the Broadmoor and will comply with an agreement with the purchaser of his apartment to leave it.

Ramspeck, who is now executive vice president of the Air Transport Association of America, was among 27 tenants who are being sued for their apartments. The plaintiffs are suing as individuals although they are members of the Broadmoor cooperative.

Driver Arrested After Taximan's 4-Mile Pursuit

An Arlington man was charged after leading a cab on a 4-mile chase through Washington at speeds exceeding 70 miles per hour, police reported.

Arrested was Aubrey M. Rucker, 34, of 5014 Columbia pike, Arlington.

Police quoted the cab driver, Archie Neel, 36, of 3323 Holmead pl. nw., as saying Rucker pulled out of a parking lot at Kansas ave. and Allison st. nw., almost colliding with his cab.

Neel followed him down Kansas ave., through Rock Creek Park, up 16th st. and out Georgia ave. nw., police said, before Rucker was forced to stop behind parked cars in the 1200 block Hamilton st. nw.

The cab driver had kept in radio communication with police through Mrs. Richard Jones, dispatcher of the Combined Cab Co. Scout Car 61 arrived at the end of the chase.

Woman's Yule Party

The annual Christmas party of the women's division of the Purchasing Agents Association of Washington will be held from 7 to 9 p. m. Friday at 1420 16th st. nw.

Mrs. McCombe, 64, Dies; Operator Of Tourist Home

Mrs. Effie P. McCombe, 64, operator of the Capitol View Tourist Home at 309 New Jersey ave. se., died yesterday at Gallinger Hospital, where she was admitted December 10.

Police said Mrs. McCombe had been treated for an overdose of sleeping tablets. Coroner A. Magruder MacDonald said yesterday he would withhold a certificate of death pending further examination.

Mrs. Lillian Huie, a niece of Mrs. McCombe, told police her aunt was a widow and had been in ill health after undergoing two major operations.

Funeral services will be held at 11 a. m. Friday at Lee funeral home, with burial in Washington National Cemetery.

Citizenry Scored for Chest Flop

Randolph Charges Failure to Accept Responsibilities; Bickering Renewed

Washington citizenry was scored here yesterday for "failure to accept its responsibilities to human welfare needs."

Jennings Randolph, former Congressman and vice president of Capital Airlines, made the charge before the General Assembly of the United Community Services, merger organization of the old Council of Social Agencies and the Washington Community Chest.

Occasion was the first meeting of the assembly members since recent failure of the organization to meet its goal in the Community Chest fund-raising campaign. It had been called by USC President Frank R. Jelleff to discuss consequences of that failure.

The meeting resolved, however, into renewed bickerings over organizational balances of power, and ended with refusal of the trustees to accept addition of 38 public leaders to the trustee board.

Specifically, the trustees voted to table an amendment to the organization by-laws which would permit enlarging their board from its present 50 public members-at-large to 88. Vote to table the proposed amendment was announced as 45 to 20.

At the meeting's end, President Jelleff said a special meeting to reopen the question would be called, probably between January 1 and 15.

Earlier, as principal speaker, Randolph pleaded for continued efforts, "without resorting to pressure," to reactivate the fund drive by appeals for enlargement and expansion of contributions already promised.

"We are in danger of losing democracy by default," he said, comparing "apathy" of the citizens toward community welfare to the downward trend in voting turnouts at national elections.

"Washington," he said, "lags behind other cities of comparable size in its acceptance of responsibilities for human welfare needs."

Another speaker, Mrs. Henry Gichner, long active in Community Chest efforts, stated that the failure of the Chest drive could not be blamed on the budgeted goal. The $4,566,780 sought, she said, was "a realistic, honest goal."

Effects of the drive deficit, last reported at $1,187,586, or 26 per cent off, "will not be seen immediately," she said.

"It may be three or four years before those effects become fully realized," she declared.

Troup Formed

Legal Status Sought for Dog's Bark

Formation of a Dogs' Rights Association in Montgomery County to defend a dog's right to bark was announced last night by John Anderson, president of the National Capital Kennel Club.

Speaking before the Capital City Cocker Club in the Lee Sheraton Hotel, Anderson pointed to a Maryland law that allows annoyed persons to obtain court injunctions requiring that barking dogs be silenced or removed.

He said the new association would seek legislation protecting the dog's right to bark.

Anderson has been elected president of the new group.

A certificate "for valor" was awarded to Chiquita, 9-year-old cocker spaniel that saved the lives of the Austensen family December 3 by barking when a refrigerator caught fire and released toxic gas.

The certificate was accepted for Chiquita by her master, Phillip J. Austensen, 9318 Worth ave., Silver Spring, Md.

Dr. Henderson Heads Committee Of 12th St. 'Y'

Dr. E. B. Henderson, 410 S. Lee hwy., Falls Church, Va., last night was elected chairman of the committee on management of the 12th st. branch of the YMCA.

Other officers elected were Dr. William T. Grady, 1303 Girard st. ne., vice chairman, and C. Anthony McCane, 1307 Irving st. ne., secretary-treasurer.

Elected as members were Dr. Charles C. Drew, F. A. Gregory, 4015 Massachusetts ave. se., and C. C. House, 2824 14th st. ne., for two years, and Curtis Mitchell, 1113 U st. nw.; the Rev. Jerry Moore, 1853 21st st. ne.; Jesse M. Carter, 136 Randolph pl. nw., and William D. Curtis, 2121 I st. ne., for three years.

Elected to the advisory board were Dr. Rayford W. Logan, 1519 Jackson st. ne., for one year; Lieut. D. D. Pittman, 127 Hilton st., Alexandria, Va., for two years, and George E. C. Hayes, 1732 S st. nw., for three years.

Dr. William O. Claytor, 1710 P st. nw., was elected chairman emeritus.

End of the Chase . . .

CORPORAL HELD—Corpl. Eugene Kniskern (right), 23, of Bolling Field Air Force Base, leaves police headquarters in custody of Detective Sergt. W. L. Sparshott of the robbery squad. The soldier, another man and a girl, accused by police of robbing and holding an elderly druggist prisoner, were captured early yesterday after a wild chase

The Washington Post

NADINE VAN GORDER, 19, of 904 Alabama ave. se., was charged with robbery along with two men and held for the grand jury in $10,000 bond in connection with the druggist's robbery

C. W. HENRY, 64, of 3804 S. Capitol st., told police he was held at gun point during the three-hour escapade and was robbed of his wallet, police said

2 Youths, 2 Girls Are Seized In Robbery-Kidnap Chase

Two youths and two girls were arrested early yesterday after a series of escapades that, police said, included:

1. The robbery and kidnaping of a 64-year-old Washington druggist.

2. A mile-a-minute chase by police through Southeast Washington and nearby Maryland.

The participants, police said, were Corpl. Eugene Kniskern, 23, of the Bolling Air Base, and his 15-year-old wife; Jan C. Gibbs, 18, of 3217 Randle pl. se., and Miss Nadine Van Gorder, 19, of 904 Alabama ave. se.

Police identified their holdup-kidnap victim as Columbus Washington Henry, 64, of 3804 S. Capitol st. Henry is the proprietor of a drug store at 3127 Nichols ave. se.

Plot Hatched in Tavern

According to police, the four hatched the plot to hold up the drug store while drinking at an Oxon Hill, Md., tavern, the Bucket of Blood.

The four drove back to the District in their rented car, police said, the girls were dropped off at their homes and Kniskern and Gibbs went on to the drug store.

Police said the two youths in their statements gave this account of what followed:

When they arrived at the drug store at about 12:30 a. m., Henry had already closed it for the night. However, he recognized them when they knocked on the door and admitted them. They told him they wanted to play the pinball machine. He said that was all right.

While they played the pinball machine, the boys saw Henry put away the day's receipts. Then they told him they wanted to go, and he let them out.

They picked up the girls and returned to within a half block of the drug store, parking beside Henry's car. When Henry came along, they accosted him and Gibbs prodded him in the ribs with a small foreign-make automatic pistol.

They ordered him to return to the store, where they forced him to turn over a bag containing $74.76. Then they returned to the parked cars. Gibbs got in Henry's car beside the druggist and ordered him to drive out toward Oxon Hill, where they had arranged a rendezvous at the old Fort Foote picnic grounds. The others followed behind, with Kniskern driving the rented car.

On the way, the cars passed by Henry's home and he pleaded to be let out, but Gibbs refused. Further along, Kniskern became frightened by the approach of a scout car and turned off into a side road.

When Gibbs and Henry arrived at the picnic grounds they waited for the others. While they waited, Gibbs forced Henry to surrender his billfold containing $5.

Finally, Gibbs ordered the druggist back in the car and they drove back into the District to Henry's home. When they parked the car and Henry got out, Gibbs warned him:

"Don't call the police for 24 hours—or we'll take care of you."

At this moment, Kniskern drove up and Gibbs joined them in the rented car. The four then drove to the picnic grounds, where they buried the money at the base of a tree.

From there on, police pick up the narrative.

They received a telephone call from Henry reporting the holdup and kidnaping and immediately a lookout for the rented car was flashed over the police radio.

This was at about 4 a. m., and at this point the four were driving into the District. They passed a stop sign at Alabama ave. and Naylor rd. se.

Chase Is Begun

Two motorcycle policemen saw the car and started after it. Just at this point, they heard the lookout for the car. The motorcycle policemen chased the car at a fast clip for about 2 miles through the streets of Southeast Washington.

At one point, they raced by the Eleventh Precinct Station, on Nichols ave. se., with sirens screaming. The motorcycle men lost the car as it raced out Indianhead rd. toward the District Line, but other police cars had by then joined in the chase and were converging from all directions.

Maryland State police and Prince Georges County police had set up roadblocks in the area.

Finally, a park police cruiser forced the car to the side of the road at Indian Head and Fort Foote rds. in Oxon Hill. As the two youths and two girls climbed reluctantly out of the car, a Metropolitan Police headquarters cruiser arrived and took them into custody. The four were booked at the Eleventh Precinct on a charge of robbery.

The quartet was then taken to police headquarters where, police said, all made statements and were identified by Henry.

Loot Is Recovered

Police said the loot was recovered when the youths led detectives to the spot where it was buried. They said they also recovered the automatic thrown by Gibbs from the car on Nichols ave. se., in front of St. Elizabeths Hospital.

The 15-year-old wife was turned over to Juvenile Court authorities and released in custody of her parents.

The others were arraigned yesterday in Municipal Court before Judge George D. Neilson, who set their bond at $10,000 each and held them for action of the grand jury.

"This was a very serious and devilish crime," said Assistant U. S. Attorney Edward Carey at the arraignment.

Pension Hike Favored For Police Widows

The Trinidad Citizens Association last night adopted a motion in support of increased pensions for widows and orphans of District policemen and firemen.

The meeting was held at Wheatley Elementary School, Montello and Neal sts. ne.

Corning Asks School Board To Operate Cafeterias

Superintendent Says Setup Now, With Principals in Charge, Is Illegal

By Elsie Carper
Post Reporter

School Superintendent Hobart M. Corning yesterday recommended that the Board of Education take over operation of school cafeterias.

The eating facilities now are run independently by school principals. They hire personnel and purchase the food.

Corning said that from informal conversations with Corporation Counsel Vernon E. West he is convinced that the present setup is not legal.

While the board by law has the authority to operate the cafeterias, it is doubtful that it can delegate the authority to others, Corning said.

Suggests Department

The school head said that beyond the question of law, schools have the responsibility to provide proper food service to pupils, giving "attention to dietetics, nutrition and other related health habits."

He proposed that a cafeteria department be set up and staffed by a director and assistants who would be directly responsible to the superintendent of schools.

He cited as advantages central purchasing, uniform prices for all schools computed on a nonprofit basis, and more competent personnel.

Funds will have to be sought from Congress to purchase equipment and pay the cost of central management, including storage and delivery service, Corning said.

The board referred the recommendation to its committees on personnel, legislation and finance for study.

Holding its regular semimonthly meeting at the Franklin Administration Building, the board refused to accept any responsibility in determining the type of fire alarm box to be installed in schools.

It sent back to the Commissioners, without action, a request that the board approve installation of "remote control" boxes in schools.

Instead, the board said it wants the "most complete fire alarm system coverage possible to guard against any possible danger in case of fire."

The board said it is not its function to determine the exact type of mechanical equipment to be used and that it would leave that up to the experts.

Other Board Actions

In other actions yesterday the board:

Protested the application of an off-sale liquor license by Daniel Singer at 3016 Nichols ave. se., on the grounds that the store will be 294 feet from the entrance to the Congress Heights School.

Approved by a 4 to 3 vote location of a Recreation Department swimming pool adjacent to the Negro Randall Junior High School.

Two Negro members of the board, E. C. Hayes and Mrs. Velma G. Williams, voted against the pool on the ground that under the Recreation Department's segregation policy the pool would be open only to Negroes.

Approved setting up a course to train card punch operators for the 1950 census.

Promoted Dr. Harold A. Haynes, an administrative assistant, to the position of associate superintendent in charge of educational research and chief examiner for the Negro schools.

Promoted Miss M. Eleanor Walker, teacher at the Kramer school, to assistant principal of Gordon Junior High School.

Retired Miss Grace E. Batchelor, 3208 38th st. nw., teacher at the Stoddert School, and Walter J. Wondrack, 1222 Owen st. ne., woodworking teacher at Taft Junior High School.

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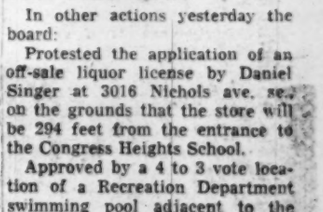

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Area News in Brief

Hens Play Big Role In Club Greetings

Three Maryland hens, which know a good egg when they see one, laid their season's greetings yesterday—personally directed to three members of the College Park Rotary Club.

Dr. Harry C. Byrd, president of Maryland University, was presented a shining, unbroken egg at last night's meeting by Dr. T. B. Symons, extension service director. He cracked it open to find a tiny rubber capsule, bearing this message:

"To Dr. Byrd, the first president of the College Park Rotary Club and the greatest president of Maryland University."

Mayor Caesar L. Aiello of Hyattsville, current president of the club, and Secretary George Fogg, also received personal "egg messages."

The evening's speaker, Dr. Morley A. Jull, head of the university's poultry department, explained it was part of a gag hatched up by Dr. C. S. Shaffner, his poultry physiologist.

Dr. Shaffner operated on three hens just before they were ready to lay. He inserted the capsule in the oviduct in time for the next egg. It went down the oviduct with the yolk, surrounded by the white and became inclosed within the shell before the egg was laid.

All three hens are doing fine, Dr. Jull said.

Cabbie Fined $100

An Alexandria cab driver who jumped into Hunting Creek when stopped by State police Tuesday was fined $100 and sentenced to 15 days in jail for reckless driving yesterday in Fairfax Trial Justice Court.

Raymond A. Alexander of 817 N. Columbus st., Alexandria, pleaded guilty to the charge that he cut across a grass plot dividing traffic lanes on Route No. 1 just south of Alexandria to make a U-turn. He noted an appeal to the Circuit Court, however, after hearing his sentence from Judge Harry L. Carrico.

Police had also charged Alexander with resisting arrest after he jumped into the creek which divides Alexandria and Fairfax County and swam out to a moored boat. This charge was not heard yesterday and Assistant Commonwealth's Attorney Lytton Gibson said it is still open.

$1000 in Hams Stolen

Charged with theft of 135 smoked hams, William Taylor, 49, of 1522 4th st. nw., was placed under $2500 bond yesterday by United States Commissioner Cyril S. Lawrence. The hams, valued at $1000, were taken Sunday night from the Hot Shoppe food warehouse, 1234 Upshur st. nw., where Taylor is a porter.

D. C. Firm Low Bidder

A Washington contractor is low bidder on a proposal to build sidewalks, and at points, curbs and gutters for four tenths of a mile along Arlington's Lee hwy., the State Highway Department announced yesterday.

Corson & Gruman Co. made the low bid of $11,144 on Tuesday. The sidewalk would run from N. Danville to N. Monroe st. Contract award for the work will be made after the department has checked all bids received.

Parolee Held in Auto Theft

A 22-year-old District Jail parolee was arrested on an auto theft charge yesterday on what police said was a "tip" from a former prison companion. He was identified as Arthur McQueen, 468 N st. nw.

Police said the car had been wrecked near Woodbridge, Va.

Police said the car, a 1948 Hudson sedan belonging to Dr. Albert F. Kaye, an Arlington optometrist, was stolen from a parking lot at 9th and H sts. nw.

Marine Listed a Suicide

Coroner A. Magruder MacDonald issued a certificate of suicide yesterday in the death of Marine Sergt. Albert E. Robertson, 27. Robertson was found dead December 1 in his apartment at 236 Massachusetts ave. nw. The coroner said tests showed Robertson had taken an overdose of sleeping tablets.

At Laurel

School Gets New Wings For Hospital

The new $120,000 hospital addition to the District Training School at Laurel, Md., was dedicated yesterday when Commissioner Guy Mason turned over the keys to Fred S. Kogod, vice chairman of the District Board of Public Welfare.

It will raise the bed capacity of the hospital from 60 to 100.

Commissioner Mason said completion of the new project is the first step in what he hopes will be a program to increase the institution's capacity from 650 to 1500 patients.

Congratulating welfare workers for their contribution to society, Mason said he hopes the "Board of Public Welfare will remain in existence for a long, long time."

The new addition to the institution, of which Dr. James Lewald is superintendent, will provide enough space to care for emergency, acutely ill or surgical patients. It consists of two wings added to the third-floor hospital in the administration building.

Citizens Cite Park Police Privates . . .

The Washington Post

GROUP SHOWS GRATITUDE—Park police privates Gertrude E. Wilson, 35, of 4542 Eads st. ne., and Walter R. McEwen, 28, of 843 21st st. ne., receive honorary memberships in the Lincoln Civic Association from Dr. Edward Harris (right), president. The two are credited with the arrest of an alleged rapist December 6 in the area covered by the citizens' association. Capt. Mark Raspberry (left), head of the Park Police, witnessed the ceremony last night in the Francis Junior High School, 24th and N sts. nw.

Mrs. S. J. Oldberg Dies at 94; Singer Sat on Lincoln's Knee

The Washington Post
MRS. SUZANNE OLDBERG
Passes

Mrs. Suzanne Johnson Oldberg, who sat on Abraham Lincoln's knee, died yesterday at the Park View Rest Home, 4103 Connecticut ave. nw.

Mrs. Oldberg, former voice teacher whose friends of every age numbered in the hundreds, was 94 years old.

Born August 10, 1854, in Washington, according to family records, she was the daughter of Maj. A. H. Johnson, private secretary to Edwin M. Stanton, Lincoln's Secretary of War. It was during a visit to her father's office that she met the Civil War President.

A concert singer in her youth, Mrs. Oldberg later turned to teaching and had a studio in the old Belasco Theater.

She was married here in 1876 at Trinity Episcopal Church to Dr. Rudolph Oldberg, Swedish-born botanist. The couple spent a year's honeymoon in Sweden, returning here shortly before Dr. Oldberg's death.

"A grand and noble lady," with a keen sense of humor and wit, according to friends, Mrs. Oldberg "never had an unkind thought or an unkind word for anybody."

A resident of Wesley Hall, 1426 21st st., until last July, when she moved to the Park View Home, Mrs. Oldberg won friends wherever she went.

"She just radiated charm," said one friend, and another described those who knew and loved her as "in the hundreds—from all walks of life, from the highest to the lowest."

At a birthday party last August, dozens of these friends wandered in to pay their respects to the white-haired woman whose eyesight and hearing had dimmed, but whose fondness for young people neved did.

"Love," she told a reporter then, "is the master of the world and can accomplish anything."

Though she gave up full-time teaching sometime in the late 1920s, Mrs. Oldberg continued to counsel a few pupils until five years ago.

She was "very religious," friends said, though she never identified herself with any denomination.

Services will be held at 11 a. m. Friday in Hysong's funeral home, 1300 N st. nw. Burial will follow in the Congressional Cemetery.

Wilfrid P. Benson

Graveside services for Wilfrid P. Benson, 56, former Veterans' Administration employe here for 25 years, will be held Friday at 10:30 a. m. in Arlington Cemetery.

Mr. Benson, who died yesterday in Columbia, S. C., had been employed by the VA office in Columbia since 1942, when he transferred from Washington.

Born in London, England, he was a United States veteran of the First World War, and joined the VA about 1917.

He leaves his wife, Mrs. Edna Benson, and his mother, Mrs. Annie Benson, both of Columbia. A brother Reginald of Utica, N. Y., also survives.

Boston Surgeon to Give Talk on Ulcers Friday

Dr. Arthur W. Allen of Boston, president of the American College of Surgeons, will speak Friday night at the National Naval Medical Center, Bethesda Md., it was announced.

He will speak before invited physicians and medical students and medical officers of the Army, Navy, Public Health Service and Veterans' Administration on the subject, "Gastric and Duodenal Ulcers."

Mal Daugherty Dies; Defied U. S. Senate

Washington Court House, Ohio., Dec. 15 (AP).—Mal S. Daugherty, the small-town banker who successfully defied the United States Senate during the Teapot Dome oil scandal, died last night.

Mr. Daugherty

The 86-year-old former bank president—once the political and financial overlord of this county—died at Washington Court House rest home.

Twice within a decade Daugherty made the headlines—once with his flight to escape a Senate subpena and once when he faced a 58-count indictment series charging him with embezzlement, misapplication of funds and falsification of the bank's condition.

In 1924 the Nation was following avidly the progress of the Senate investigation of the Teapot Dome scandal. Mal. S. Daugherty was the brother of Harry M. Daugherty, Attorney General under President Warren G. Harding and president of Washington Court House's Midland Bank.

Senate Order Defied

The report was that some of the money that changed hands in oil deals had been deposited in Midland. The Senate investigating committee wanted to look at Midland books. They subpenaed Daugherty and Midland books.

Daugherty defied the order and the Senate cited the portly Ohio banker for contempt. It even sent its sergeant-at-arms to Washington Court House to arrest Daugherty.

The Midland president, However, fled to Cincinnati and obtained a court injunction. The subpena never was successfully filled nor the contempt citation satisfied.

The committee, including Senators Wheeler of Montana and Brookhart of Iowa, finally opened a session at Washington Court House in a local hotel. Nothing came of it.

The Ohio State Bank, of which Daugherty was president, failed as a result of the scandal.

Bank Failure Costly

It paid off only 28 cents on a dollar. Washington Court House residents by the score filed bankruptcy petitions. The loss to this town of 10,000 persons was estimated at $1,000,000.

Daugherty was convicted of misapplication of funds in common pleas court, but an appeals court ordered the case retried. No new trial ever was held.

The banker spent the final years of his life virtually alone. The community did not forget the financial failure of his bank. They passed him, most of them, without speaking.

Until he entered the rest home three weeks ago, Daugherty lived at the home of a Negro family, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Easton. Two weeks ago—at the request of the surviving son, Ellis of Washington Court House—the court appointed prosecutor Clark Wickensimer the old man's guardian.

Funeral services will be Friday at 2 p. m. at Hook & Son funeral home in Washington Court House. Burial will be in the Daugherty Mausoleum.

M. C. Strizzi, Editor, Writer, Dies at 70

Michele C. Strizzi, 70-year-old journalist and for 30 years a legal translator with the Veterans' Administration, died at Georgetown University Hospital Tuesday, just two weeks before he planned to retire.

Mr. Strizzi

Mr. Strizzi was born in Alberona, Foggia, Italy, and was educated at Liceo Banghi Lucero and received a doctorate of jurisprudence from the University of Naples in 1900.

In 1913, he came to the United States and from 1915-1918, he was chief editor of "L'Opinione" in Philadelphia, Pa., and from 1934-1938 was editor of "L'Araldo," a monthly magazine. Mr. Strizzi served as the Washington political correspondent of "Il Progresso Italo-Americano" of New York for five years and of the monthly magazine "Il Carroccio" for 10 years.

His first historical novel "All Came By the Sea," is now being published and will be released within the next few months.

Mr. Strizzi is survived by his wife, Camille M. Strizzi, and a son, Robert A. Strizzi of 3210 Central ave. ne. Another son, Lieut. Francis C. Strizzi, was killed in action during World War II.

Funeral services will be held in the Lee Funeral Parlor, 4th and Massachusetts ave. ne., at 9:30 a. m. Friday, followed by requiem mass in the Holy Rosary Church, 3d and F sts. nw. Burial will be at Fort Lincoln Cemetery, Bladensburg rd.

Maj. Gen. Grote Hutcheson

San Jose, Calif., Dec. 15 (AP).—Maj. Gen. Grote Hutcheson, USA, ret., 83, West Point classmate of the late General Pershing, died last night at his home in nearby Saratoga.

General Hutcheson, who had lived at Saratoga since his retirement from the Army in 1924, will be buried at Arlington National Cemetery.

After Indian campaigns in Arizona and other Western States, he served in the Spanish-American War as adjutant general in the Puerto Rico campaign. He was with the China Relief Expedition of 1900; served as military service governor in the Philippines in 1901-02, and was a member of the General Staff Corps from 1904 to 1908.

In World War I, he was commander of the port of embarkation at Newport News, and later commanded the Fourteenth Infantry Division.

His wife, Ann Hutcheson, survives.

Frank H. Poston

Frank H. Poston, an employe of the Southern Railway System for more than 53 years, died in Richmond Monday after an illness of several months. He was 74.

Born in Clarksville, Tenn., in 1874, he came to Washington at 17 as an employe of the Southern Railway. He served that company in various capacities for almost 54 years. He was division passenger agent for 25 years prior to his death in Richmond.

During the 1890s, Mr. Poston organized the Dixie Quartet and was active in Washington musical circles.

Mr. Poston is survived by his brother, Phil D. Poston of 4 Hawley court, Silver Spring, Md., and four children, Frank H. Poston of Columbus, Miss.; Robert N. Poston, Richmond; Mrs. John Dana, Oakland, Calif., and Mrs. Ellis Goodwin, Richmond.

Funeral services will be held in Richmond this morning at 11.

Walter Franklin Zeigler

Frederick, Md., Dec. 15.—Funeral services will be held at St. John's Catholic Church here tomorrow morning for Walter Franklin Zeigler, 65, retired Chesapeake & Potomac Telephone Co. employe, who died suddenly yesterday.

Mr. Zeigler, a native of Chambersburg, Pa., was a pioneer employe of the telephone company and saw the system develop here from a 125-subscriber organization to a business serving 11,000 patrons from 14 exchanges. He was plant wire chief at the time of his retirement in 1946 after 45 years' service.

Herbert E. Sadler

Ann Arbor, Dec. 15 (AP)—Herbert E. Sadler, 76, well-known naval architect and former dean of the University of Michigan engineering and architectural colleges, died today at his home.

He retired as dean in 1937 because of ill health.

During World War I he was a naval architect and consulting engineer for the United States Shipping Board. He also wrote a number of textbooks.

Rafterry Reburial Today

Robert J. Rafterry, former Western High pitcher, killed in action in Luxembourg in December, 1944, will be reburied in Arlington Cemetery at 9 a. m. Requiem mass will be said at 7:45 a. m. in St. Anthony's Church.

Rafterry

Last night about 50 members of Keane Council No. 353, Knights of Columbus, of which Mr. Rafterry was a member, joined in prayer at Hanlon's Funeral Home, 3831 Georgia ave. nw. Father Henry J. Wiesel of Catholic University led the group in reciting the rosary.

Mr. Rafterry met death while serving as a sergeant with the 328th Infantry Regiment of the Twenty-sixth Division.

Before joining the service in 1941, he was employed by a wholesale electrical supply firm in Washington.

Besides his mother, Mrs. F. L. Rafterry, he is survived by two brothers, Francis M. and John Patrick Rafterry, all of 1014 Kearny st. nw.

Mrs. Mary E. E. Fulk

Martinsburg, W. Va., Dec. 15.—Services will be held at Kearneysville tomorrow afternoon for Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Entler Fulk, widow of William A. Fulk, who died at her home yesterday within three days of her eighty-fourth birthday. She had been a semi-invalid for six months.

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ALTHEN, FRANK G. On Monday, December 13, 1948, at his residence, 3521 18th st. ne., FRANK C. ALTHEN, beloved husband of Mrs. Susan D. Althen and father of Mrs. Edward J. Rockefeller. Friends may call at the Lee Funeral Home, 4th st. and Massachusetts ave. ne., until 9 a.m. Thursday, December 16. Requiem mass will be offered at St. Francis De Sales Catholic Church, 2021 Rhode Island ave. ne., at 10 a. m. Interment Fort Lincoln Cemetery.

ARMANI, FRANK. On Tuesday, December 14, 1948, FRANK ARMANI, beloved husband of Natalina Armani and father of Louis, Charles and Frank Armani and Margaret Punsteri. Funeral from the W. W. Deal Funeral Home, 4812 Georgia ave. nw., on Thursday, December 16, at 8:30 a. m., thence to St. Gabriel's Church, where mass will be said at 9 a. m. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery.

BOLING, EDGAR D. Suddenly, on Monday, December 13, 1948, EDGAR D. BOLING, beloved husband of Mary Lida Boling, son of James Boling of Toccoa, Ga. and stepfather of Clarice Holden, East Orange, N. J., and Bernard Cannon of Glen Burnie, Md. Funeral from W. W. Deal Funeral Home, 4812 Georgia ave. nw., on Thursday, December 16, at 1 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Arlington National Cemetery.

BREIMYER, NEAL RAYMOND. On Monday, December 13, 1948, at Children's Hospital, NEAL RAYMOND BREIMYER, beloved son of Harold F. and Rachel S. Breimyer, 3306 Oberon st., Kensington, Md. Remains resting at the Bethesda-Chevy Chase Funeral home of Wm. Reuben Pumphrey, Bethesda, Md. Funeral services 10 a. m. Thursday, December 16, at Leland Place Memorial Church, 14th and N sts. nw. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

BYRD, JOHN HAMILTON. On Wednesday, December 15, 1948, at Homeopathic Hospital, JOHN HAMILTON BYRD, father of Mrs. J. P. Shearer of Washington, D. C., and R. H. Byrd of Evanston, Ill. Services and interment will be held at Suffolk, Va., on Friday, December 17.

CLARKE, OLIVER HENRY. On Monday, December 13, 1948, at his residence, 3139 Adams Mill rd. nw., OLIVER HENRY CLARKE, beloved husband of Helen Gray Clarke, father of E. Gray Clarke. Friends may call at the Lee Funeral Home, 4th st. and Mass. ave. ne., where services will be held on Thursday, December 16, at 3:30 p. m. Interment private.

COLES, ROSA E. On Wednesday, December 15, 1948, at New York City, N. Y., ROSA E. COLES, beloved wife of G. Fred Coles; mother of Mrs. Beatrice Pettit and Mark F. Coles. Remains resting at the S. H. Hines Co. Funeral Home after 10 a. m. Friday. Services at the above funeral home on Saturday, December 18, at 1 p. m. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

CONNER, FRANCES C. On Tuesday, December 14, 1948, FRANCES C. CONNER of 216 N. Wakefield st., Arlington, Va., the beloved wife of the late James B. Conner, and mother of Mrs. Anna R. Sherwood. Services at Chambers Funeral Home, 1400 Chapin st. nw., on Friday, December 17, at 1 p. m. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

DOING, FANNIE PARKER. On Wednesday, December 15, 1948, at the home of her son, Robert B. Doing, 2639 Myrtle ave. ne., MRS. FANNIE PARKER DOING, wife of the late William P. Doing and beloved mother of Mrs. William Aitcheson, Mrs. L. W. Erdman, Mrs. D. D. Whitecraft, William P. Doing, Jr., and John B. Doing. Funeral services will be held at the above residence on Friday, December 17, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Fort Lincoln Cemetery.

FIELDING, EPPA PARKES. On Tuesday, December 14, 1948, at his residence, 4621 23d st. north, Arlington, Va., EPPA PARKES FIELDING, beloved son of the Rev. and Mrs. G. H. Fielding. Remains resting at the Ives Funeral Home 2847 Wilson blvd., Arlington, Va., until 2 p. m., Thursday, December 16; thence to the Clarendon Methodist Church, 6th and North Irving sts., where funeral services will be held at 2:30 p. m. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery. (Baltimore, Md., papers, please copy).

FOWLER, WILEY F. On Monday, December 13, 1948, WILEY F. FOWLER, husband of the late Lula Fowler, stepfather of Earl V. Adams and brother of Lillian Meyers of Los Angeles, Calif. Services at the Chambers Funeral Home, 517 11th st. se., on Thursday, December 16, at 2:30 p. m. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

FUNK, GAITHERS LEE. On Wednesday, December 15, 1948, GAITHERS LEE FUNK of 4224 29th st., Mount Rainier, Md., beloved husband of Blanche Olivia Funk (nee Andrews); stepfather of Miss Edna White; brother of Elmer, Clarence and Cora Funk and Mrs. Charles White. Friends may call at Wm. J. Nalley's Funeral Home, 3200 Rhode Island ave. at Eastern ave. ne., where services will be held on Friday, December 17, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Washington Memorial Park.

HEDGCOCK, DELLA MERRILL. On Tuesday, December 14, 1948, at the Washington Sanatorium, MRS. DELLA MERRILL HEDGCOCK of 110 Maple ave., Takoma Park, Md. beloved wife of the late Dr. George Grant Hedgcock, and mother of Leland M. Hedgcock of Silver Spring, Md.; Mrs. Ruth E. Stevenson and Mrs. Margaret Church. Friends may call at the Takoma Funeral Home, 254 Carroll st., Takoma Park, D. C. Services at Takoma Park Presbyterian Church on Thursday, December 16, at 2 p. m. Mrs. Hedgcock will lie in state in church from 1 until 2 p. m. Interment Fort Lincoln Cemetery.

HUTCHESON, Maj. Gen. GROTE, USA (ret.) On Wednesday, December 15, 1948, at Saratoga, Calif., Maj. Gen. GROTE HUTCHESON, USA (retired), husband of Anna Holt Pyeram Hutcheson, formerly of Washington, D. C. Funeral and interment Arlington National Cemetery. Announcement later.

KASTROMETZKY, RUBIN MEYER. On Wednesday, December 15, 1948, RUBIN MEYER KASTROMETZKY, beloved husband of Rebecca Kastrometzky, devoted father of Mrs. Mollie Epstein, Miss Fanny Kast, Mr. Isaac Kast, all of Washington, D. C.; Miss Rose Kast of New York. Services at the Goldberg Funeral Home, 4217 9th st. nw., Thursday, December 16, at 1 p. m. Interment National Hebrew Cemetery. In mourning at 7301 Georgia ave.

LEAPLEY, HARRY T. On Tuesday, December 14, 1948, at Doctors Hospital, HARRY T. LEAPLEY, beloved husband of Florence M. Leapley and brother of Mrs. Harry Weimer and Fred and Lawrence Leapley. Also survived by other relatives and many friends. Mr. Leapley was a Mason and a master plumber. Friends may call at the Lee Funeral Home, 4th st. and Mass. ave. ne., where services will be held on Friday, December 17, at 1:30 p. m. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

LEAPLEY, HARRY T. The officers and members of Plumbers Local Union No. 5 are notified of the death of brother HARRY T. LEAPLEY, on Tuesday, December 14, 1948. Members may call at the Lee Funeral Home, 4th st. and Mass. ave. ne., where funeral services will be held Friday, December 17, at 1:30 p. m. D. C. DOW, Secy.

MANDLEY, GEORGE W. On Wednesday, December 15, 1948, at South Baltimore General Hospital, Baltimore, Md., GEORGE W. MANDLEY, brother of Louis A., Bradley, Henry and William Mandley. Services at Chambers Funeral Home, 517 11th st. se., on Saturday, December 18, at 11:30 a. m. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

MASSEY, GRACE V. On Sunday, December 12, 1948, at her residence, 1630 D st. se., GRACE V. MASSEY, beloved wife of the late Thomas Massey, mother of Mrs. Frances Bowman. Friends may call at the Lee Funeral Home, 4th st. and Mass. ave. ne., where services will be held on Wednesday, December 15, at 3 p. m. Interment Roseland, Va.

MAZUR, PVT. WILLIAM R. On August 9, 1944, at Normandy, France, PVT. WILLIAM R. MAZUR, beloved son of Joseph J. and Pearl E. Mazur of 10726 Old Bladensburg rd., Silver Spring, Md. Prayers will be said on Thursday, December 16, at 10 a. m., at the Warner E. Pumphrey Funeral Home, 8434 Georgia ave., Silver Spring, Md.; thence to St. John's Catholic Church, Forest Glen, Md., where mass will be offered at 10:30 a. m. for the repose of his soul. Interment church cemetery.

McCOMBE, EFFIE P. Suddenly on Wednesday, December 15, at Gallinger Hospital, EFFIE P. McCOMBE, beloved wife of the late Rev. George McComb; aunt of Chester A., Lydon G., and Robert M. Atwood; Mrs. Effie Foster and Mrs. Lillian Hule; sister of William S. Pratt. Friends may call at the Lee Funeral Home, 4th and Mass. ave. ne., where services will be held on Friday, December 17, at 11 a. m. Interment Washington National Cemetery.

MEAD, LILLIE MAY. On Friday, December 10, 1948, at her residence, 426 7th st. se., LILLIE MAY MEAD. Services at the Chambers Funeral Home, 517 11th st. se., on Thursday, December 16, at 10 a. m. Interment Fort Lincoln Cemetery.

McCUEN, BLANCHE M. On Sunday, December 12, 1948, in Athens, Ga., BLANCHE M. McCUEN of 1844 Mintwood pl. nw., wife of the late William H. McCuen and daughter of Charles O. and Mary A. Pulman. Services on Friday, December 17, at Shrine of the Sacred Heart Church, 16th and Park rd. nw., where the holy sacrifice of the mass will be offered at 9 a. m. for the repose of her soul. Interment Ivy Hill Cemetery, Alexandria, Va.

McNAB, NORMA. On Wednesday, December 15, 1948, NORMA McNAB of 2034 G st. nw., beloved wife of George E. McNab, sr.; mother of George W., G. Ernest, William A., Robert, Norman, Norma jr. and Teresa McNab. Remains resting at the Birch Funeral Home, 3034 M st. nw. Notice of funeral later.

NICHOLS, CHARLES W. Suddenly, on Monday, December 13, 1948, at his residence, 3108 Varnum st., Mt. Rainier, Md., CHARLES W. Nichols, beloved brother of Mrs. E. C. Watts of Mt. Rainier, Md.; Mrs. M. S. McKeown of Brentwood, Md.; Mrs. Sadie E. Anderson of Odenton, Md.; Mrs. Laura Disney and Mrs. Florence Newell of Mt. Rainier. Funeral from the W. E. Huntemann Funeral Home, 5732 Georgia ave., on Thursday, December 16, at 1 p. m. Services at the Nichols Memorial Church, Odenton, Md., at 2:30 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited to attend. Interment church cemetery.

NOLAN, Pfc. LEONARD J. Killed in Germany in 1945, Pfc LEONARD J. NOLAN, beloved husband of Dorothy A. Nolan and father of James William Nolan of 2816 5th st. ne. He is also survived by his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. James E. Nolan of Newark, N. J., and sister, Mabel L., and brother Marcus Nolan. Funeral from the Timothy Hanlon Funeral Home, 3831 Georgia ave. nw., on Friday, December 17, at 7:45 a. m. High requiem mass at St. Anthony's Church, at 9:15 a. m. Interment Arlington National Cemetery, 9:30 a. m. Relatives and friends invited.

OLDBERG, SUSANNE. On Wednesday, December 15, 1948, at her residence, 4103 Conn. ave. nw., MRS. SUSANNE OLDBERG. Funeral services will be held at Hysong's Funeral Home, 1300 N st. nw., on Friday, December 17, at 11 a. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Interment Congressional Cemetery.

PARFITT, MARIE A. On Tuesday, December 14, 1948, MARIE A. PARFITT of 3411 29th st. nw., beloved wife of the late Isaac C. Parfitt, mother of Isabelle C. Parfitt, Mrs. Elizabeth Tangen of Fairfax, Va., and David S. Parfitt of Lynwood, Calif. Services at the S. H. Hines Co. Funeral Home, 2901 14th st. nw., on Thursday, December 16, at 2 p. m. Interment private.

SPROULE, LULA LAURELLE. On Wednesday, December 15, 1948, at her residence, LULA LAURELLE SPROULE of 1673 Columbia rd. nw., widow of the late Capt. William A. Sproule, U.S.A.; mother of Wallace O. Banker, Emily L. Banker and Eleanor Sproule. Notice of funeral later.

RAY, PERCEY E. On Wednesday, December 15, 1948, at Station Hospital, Ft. Belvoir, Va., PERCY E. RAY, formerly of Washington, D. C., now Lorton, Va.; age 52, beloved husband of Elsie Davis Ray; also survived by two sons, Elmer E. and Albert P.; two sisters, Misses Mattie and Caroline Ray of North Carolina; seven brothers, Acie C., Mack E., of Washington, D. C., Sidney G., Junice, Vaughn, Woodrow and Joseph of North Carolina. Remains resting at his residence, Lorton, Va., where funeral will be conducted Friday, December 17, at 1:30 p. m. Interment Arlington National Cemetery. Services by Hall Funeral Home, Occoquan, Va.

RAY, PERCY E. Members of Capital Transit Legion Department of the District of Columbia are advised of the death of our comrade, PERCY E. RAY, who died at Station Hospital, Fort Belvoir, Va., December 15, 1948. Legion Services at graveside, Arlington National Cemetery, Friday, December 17, 3 p. m.
D. C. ROSSIGNOL, Commander,
W. H. TAYLOR, Adjutant.

RENNO, ELSIE LUCKETT. On Wednesday, December 15, 1948, at her residence, 3125 Branch ave. se., ELSIE LUCKETT RENNO, beloved wife of the late Arthur M. Renno and mother of Elsie T. Renno. Funeral notice later.

REYNOLDS, GRACE L. On Tuesday, December 14, 1948, at her residence, 2232 Nicholson st. se., GRACE L. REYNOLDS, beloved wife of Francis T. Reynolds, and mother of John W., Albert Schuerger and Frances D. Reynolds. Services at Chambers Funeral Home, 517 11th st. se., on Saturday, December 18, at 1 p. m. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

STRIZZI, MICHELE C. On Tuesday, December 14, 1948, at Georgetown University Hospital, MICHELE C. STRIZZI beloved husband of Camille M. Strizzi and father of Robert A. Strizzi and the late Lieut. Francis C. Strizzi U. S. A. Friends may call at the Lee Funeral Home, 4th st. and Mass. ave. ne., where services will be held on Friday, December 17, at 9:30 a. m. Requiem mass at Holy Rosary Church at 10 a. m. Interment Fort Lincoln Cemetery.

WARING, REVEREND JOSEPH F., S.S.J. On Wednesday, December 15, 1948, in Providence Hospital, REVEREND JOSEPH F. WARING, S.S.J., assistant pastor of St. Cyprian's Church, 1242 C st. se., brother of Sister Mary Pischer (Sisters of The Good Shepherd) of Surrey, England. Solemn mass of requiem will be offered on Saturday, December 18 at 10 a. m., at St. Cyprian's Church. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery.

WEDDELL, GEORGE B. On Wednesday, December 15, 1948, at his residence, GEORGE B. WEDDELL of 5209 Kansas ave. nw., beloved husband of Mary R. Weddell, father of Owen S. Weddell of Baltimore, Md.; Lloyd Weddell of Patuxent River, Md.; Mrs. John W. Gorn, Ann Arbor, Mich.; Mrs. Joann Hutton and Mary E. Weddell of Washington, D. C. Remains resting at the S. H. Hines Co. Funeral Home, 2901 14th st. nw. Notice of funeral later.

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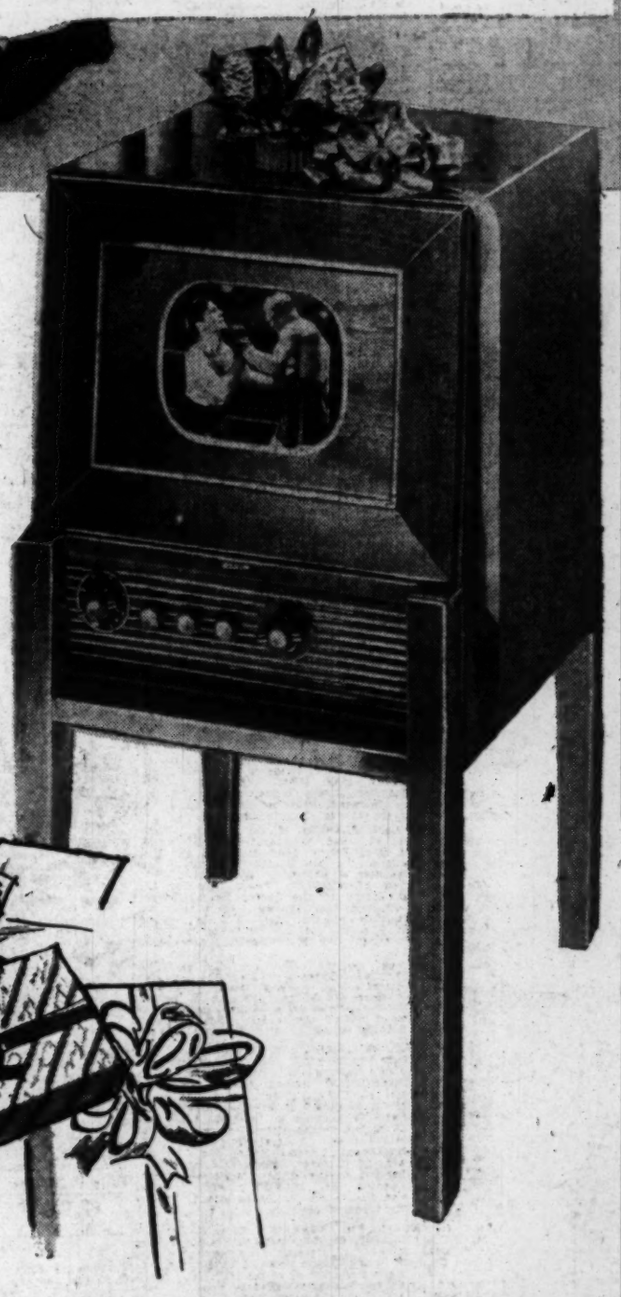

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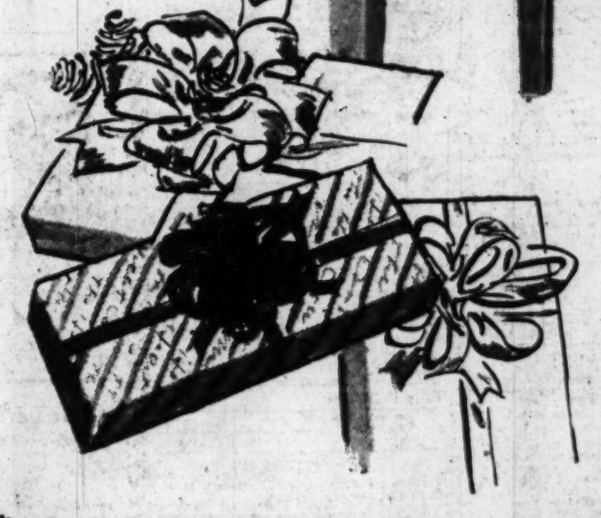

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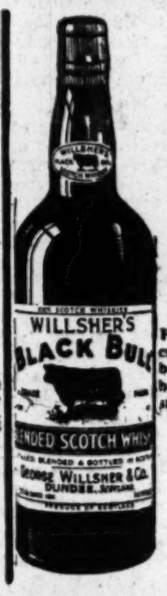

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Lewis Returns, Climaxes Nats' Deals

This Morning

—With Shirley Povich

UNDER THE CIRCUMSTANCES, which weren't very good, the Washington Ball Club was driven to some kind of a deal and thus it was that Clark Griffith unloaded Mickey Vernon and Early Wynn to the Cleveland Indians.

POVICH

The merits of the trade, which brought First Baseman Eddie Robinson and Pitchers Joe Haynes and Ed Klieman to the Nats, will be better known in another year, but this was a time when Griffith could not be too choosy.

He had to show the Washington fans something quick, something in the line of a change of faces, or be prepared to squirm all next season under diminishing attendance. Even the patience of Griffith Stadium fans, the champions of patience, was running out and Griffith didn't dare to stand pat on a team that finished seventh the past two years.

The fans' boos were being heard too frefrequently. Griffith might have liked to boo, himself, except that it would be unseemly in a club owner. He knew that the infusion of some new blood would at least be an opiate.

BILL VEECK, who engineered the deal for the Indians, was around the Chicago hotel headquarters lobby, seeking additional background on Wynn and Vernon after the trade. How did one account for Wynn's amazing slump in 1948 after winning 17 games the season before, he wanted to know.

Wynn's was, indeed, a baffling case, Veeck was told by a Washington newspaperman. All of a sudden, Wynn lost his fast ball, after years of pouring one of the best fireballs in the league. Was Wynn in shape last season? Apparently he was—thinner than in 1947 when he had a good year, and with no surplus poundage.

Veeck was told how Wynn was accused of being over weight in 1947 despite his good year, and how he took off 20 pounds under the threat of being fined when he reported in the spring of 1948. And now svelt, he had his worst year.

"I'm calling Wynn tomorrow and telling him to eat his head off and get back to his 1947 weight," said Veeck.

MICKEY VERNON'S two-year slump at bat was no less strange than Wynn's sudden collapse. In 1947-48, Vernon never resembled the good hitter who led the league with a .353 average in 1946. At one point last season, the Nats dropped him to eighth place in the batting order, so pathetic were his attempts to get a hit.

Vernon was a worrier. The more his batting average dropped, the more he was panicked, perhaps at the thought of his salary cuts. He had worked up to $20,000 a year after his great 1946 season, and the big money was very acceptable to Vernon, a frugal, thrifty soul. On the days when he went hitless there were the visions of a shrinking income and he never braced himself.

It was Vernon who was the chief target of the fans' boos last season and when he was unable to rise above them, he was slated for trade. Griffith knew that booing is contagious and could spread to other members of his club, and he writhed under the prospect. Vernon would have to go, if at a sacrifice.

THERE IS, OF COURSE, a high possibility that Nats made no sacrifices whatsoever in the deal with the Indians. Vernon and Wynn weren't producing in Washington and thus there is no great sense of loss in their departure. If they bounce back and make good with the Indians, it's to their credit and they doubtless have the best wishes of Washington fans. However, of them it may be said they leave Griffith Stadium but they leave no vacancy.

And the Nats may have made a profitable deal. The customers will abide the lesser skills of Eddie Robinson at first base if he gives them the hits that Vernon didn't. He's outhit Vernon for the past two years and he rides that ball for far distances as his 30 home runs the last two seasons attest.

Joe Haynes represents something of a gamble with his recently operated-on pitching shoulder, but Ed Klieman could be the answer to the Nats' desperate need for a relief pitcher. At least Robinson and Klieman are fresh off a pennant winner, without defeatist complexes.

NO REFLECTION INTENDED—The Quantico Marines football team will be ready to sling mud if the terrain demands it Saturday in the big game with the Fort Bragg (N. C.) 82d Airborne Division at College Park. Coach Hal Harwood (second from right, back row) gives his Quantico starters instructions in the art in a workout yesterday. He's surrounded in the backfield by (left to right) Halfback Ray Schuett, Quarterback Rudy Flores, Fullback Dick Ambrogi and Halfback Ben Moore.

By Tom Kelley—The Washington Post

On the line are (left to right) End Harold Krug, Tackle Bob Prather, Guard Ernie Norem, Center Bill Jesse, Guard Jim Wimberg, Tackle Al Batroski and End Ray Pfiefer

Griff Sees Buddy Back In Form as Best Hitter

By Shirley Povich
Post Reporter

The Washington Baseball Club set another deal in motion yesterday—a deal to bring Outfielder Buddy Lewis back to the team after a year's retirement.

President Clark Griffith received Lewis' application papers for reinstatement to the active list and forwarded the necessary documents to League President Will Harridge.

Griffith and Lewis have not talked salary terms yet, but Lewis' request for reinstatement indicates his desire to rejoin the Nats. "We'll have no trouble agreeing on a salary," said Griffith.

Lewis also asked permission to join the Washington club's baseball school at Winter Park, Fla., as an instructor during the five-week course starting in mid-January. Their salary talks will start when Griffith arrives in Florida during that month.

Injury Slowed Him Down

Despite eight outfielders already on the Washington roster, Griffith is eager to sign Lewis and envisions him as the club's regular right fielder. Lewis finished up the 1947 season batting .261, but until he suffered a leg injury in August his average was far above the .300 mark.

"He's only 32 years old, has been a clean liver and never showed any signs of slowing up," Griffith said of Lewis. "I think he'll move in as the best hitter on our ball club. Certainly, he's the most dangerous."

Griffith emphatically denied that the Washington club received any cash payment in the deal with Cleveland that sent Mickey Vernon and Early Wynn to the pennant winners. He blasted reports that there was a $200,000 consideration by declaring, "Not a penny changed hands, only ballplayers."

Haynes Operation Successful

The Nat's owner was elated by the report from Johns Hopkins Hospital following the arm operation of Joe Haynes, who came from Cleveland along with First Baseman Ed Robinson and Pitcher Ed Klieman in the deal. "The doctors told Haynes today that his operation was a complete success," said Griffith.

He was unperturbed by the report that Ed Klieman was balking at the deal sending him to Washington. "In my time I've dealt with dozens of ball players who squawk that they've just bought homes in other cities, but I never heard of one who didn't come to terms. That's part of baseball."

He defended his trade with Cleveland. "Perhaps Vernon and Wynn will go well with the Indians, but I'm not concerned about that. They weren't doing our club any good, in fact, they were liabilities, and we had to unload them."

Robinson will give the Nats some much-needed batting punch, he pointed out. "Those 84 runs he drove in last season interested me," said Griffith, "and he's not far behind Vernon as a first baseman. We get some hitting along with Haynes and Klieman and I'd make the deal all over again, any day."

By 92-81, Before 1825 Fans

Caps' Third Quarter Rally Beats Warriors

By Morris Siegel
Post Reporter

The Washington Caps blitzed their way to a 92-81 triumph over the Philadelphia Warriors last night.

Entering the second half trailing by six points, the Caps turned on the speed. They bucketed 26 points in the third quarter and added 30 more in the final period to tuck away their tenth straight victory on the home court and their eighteenth in 20 games this year.

The contest, which developed into a rout midway the final quarter, was witness by only 1825, the smallest crowd of the year at Uline Arena.

Bones McKinney, North Carolina's contribution to the amazing Caps, and Bob Feerick were the ringleaders in Washington's latest success. McKinney rammed in 22 points, only four less than Warrior hot-shot Joe Fulks made. McKinney and Feerick teamed up to break the back of the Warrior resistance in the whirwind third period.

McKinney, Feerick Team Up

Ole Bones, as good as they come when the chips are down, got three straight baskets in the third quarter while Feerick followed with two in a row to bring the Caps a lead they built up as the game wore on.

Two of McKinney's baskets were set up by perfect passes from Feerick. McKinney in turn found Feerick free and passed to him twice to knock the Warriors off their high horse.

Fulks, who holds practically every scoring record in pro basketball, threw in seven field goals and made 12 straight fouls to compile his 26 points, three better than he has averaged against Washington in three years of competition.

Unable to work their way under the boards in the first half because of the great defensive work of Ed Sadowski, the Caps switched to a fast break after intermission and swept the Warriors off the court.

Hermsen Starts Them Off

Trailing by 42 to 36, the Caps got going when Kleggie Hermsen swished in a free throw and followed with a basket. When McKinney and Feerick caught fire, Bones rammed in three straight baskets, each on his favorite jump shot, and Feerick followed with two more. That made it 50-48, Washington, and the Caps practically wrote their own ticket from there on.

REBOUNDS — Fifty personal fouls were called, 29 against the Caps who lost Hermsen on fouls. The Warriors lost Fulks the same way 3 minutes before the game was finished . . . The victory was Washington's thirteenth in 15 B. A. A. meetings with the Warriors. The defeat was the tenth in the last 11 games for the hapless Philadelphians . . . Feerick,

See CAPS, Page B-8, Column 4.

Hoyas Win, 49-41, Over Penn State

By Jack Walsh
Post Reporter

Georgetown made its collegiate debut at the National Guard Armory a successful one with a 49-41 triumph over Penn State last night before a meager crowd of 737.

Penn State, dropping its third in a row, wouldn't have been that close if the Hoyas hadn't missed almost as many fouls as they made. Actual count was 17 conversions in 32 tries.

State's zone defense was fairly sieve-like but here again Georgetown failed to capitalize, making only 16 of 98 attempts from the floor.

The visitors stayed within striking distance when Lou Lamie and Joe Tocci dropped field goals near the end of the half to come within a point, 24-23.

Late in the third quarter, State again rallied to pull up to 34-30. But Ray Corley, high man with 13 points, Vince Leddy and Italo Ablondi countered with field goals and Georgetown didn't have much trouble maintaining a 10-point lead.

Johnny Brown, with 10, and Soph Johnny Mazziotta, who scored 9, gave Corley the most help. Little Milt Simon, State's good guard,

See HOYAS, Page B-8, Column 5.

Western League Won't Expand in '49

Senator Edwin C. Johnson (D., Colo.), president of the Western League, said here last night the baseball circuit will operate again in 1949 with only six clubs.

Wichita, Kans., on whose action an expansion to eight clubs depended, decided not to sualify. Cedar Rapids, Iowa, eighth club in the projected expansion, was ready to go in, the Senator said. "But you can't expand to seven clubs."

Quantico Has To Use Two Team System

Critics of two-platoon football squads can't rap the Quantico Marines although the country's top-ranking service club employs the much abused system.

You see, Quantico has a good reason. In fact, it's been forced to use two teams. Under rules of all-Navy competition, officers must comprise less than 50 per cent of a team. In football, that means no more than five players.

With 13 officers on his 50-man squad, Maj. Hal Harwood decided the best thing to do was to develop two complete teams. He uses them as units and they play both offensive and defensive ball.

Just how skillfully he has welded together his material is best explained by looking at Quantico's record. The unbeaten Marines shoot for their thirteenth straight this season at College Park Saturday when they meet the Eighty-third Airborne Division's All-Americans, unbeaten in nine starts.

Out for 25th In Row

In its coming game, sponsored by Washington's Junior Board of Commerce, Quantico will attempt to extend its two-year victory streak to 25 consecutive victories.

Harwood, former great Navy center, emphasizes that he doesn't have a first and second team. They are about on a par, he insists. And individual statistics for the squad bear him out.

In one backfield he has Joe Bartos, top-scorer and ground gainer; Dick Ambrogi, Ray Schuett and Rudy Flores. Ends are Ernie Hargett and Hal Krug.

Bartos and Ambrogi, former Naval Academy stars, have gained the most ground, but George Greco and Ben Moore, in the other backfield, rank second and third to Bartos for best average rushes. Joe Tamillo, Wil Hixson and Roy Russell perform in the "B" backfield with Greco and Moore.

Versatile Teams

How well the teams complement each other was shown in Quantico's 21-0 win over San Diego

See QUANTICO, Page B-8, Col. 4.

Where to Buy Tickets for Quantico, Bragg Grid Game

Tickets for Saturday's game at Maryland University Stadium between unbeaten Quantico Marines and Eighty-second Airborne Division of Fort Bragg, N. C., are now on sale at Fairway Sports Store and the Junior Board of Commerce office.

They're priced at $1.20 and $2.40, with proceeds going to the Youth and Welfare Fund. Servicemen will be admitted free.

Dodgers Get Mike McCormick

Pete Reiser Traded To Boston Braves

By Jack Hand

Chicago, Dec. 15 (AP).—Pistol Pete Reiser, once the pride of the Brooklyn Dodgers, was traded to the Boston Braves today for Outfielder Mike McCormick and an unnamed player.

No cash was involved in the swap of veteran outfielders that closed the annual winter baseball meetings during which players with a total value of well over a million dollars changed hands.

Reiser, who has made a career out of running full speed into ball park fences, struggled through the worst season of his career in 1948. He hit only .236 in 64 games, as compared with his brilliant rookie year in 1941 when he led the league with .343.

Played Infield, Outfield

Bone chips in his angle and severe headaches kept Reiser on the bench most of the time. When he did play it was only in spurts. He was shunted from the outfield to third and even played first base briefly.

At the end of this disastrous year, he told newsmen he wanted to be traded although his contract called for between $18,000 and $20,000. He can't be cut more than 25 per cent.

Manager Billy Southworth of the Braves started talking about Reiser with Branch Rickey, Brooklyn president, at the minor league meetings in Minneapolis.

"Who do you want for Reiser," Southworth asked Rickey and Dodger Manager Burt Shotton.

"McCormick," said Shotton quickly. The deal was almost set then Southworth asked permission to talk personally with Reiser and ask him how he would feel about playing for Boston.

Pete Impressed Southworth

Reiser was summoned to Chicago and hid out in a hotel away from newsmen during the meetings. Whatever he told Southworth must have been impressive, because Billy, who had been reluctant to part with McCormick, decided to take Pete. He also talked with Eddie Stanky by phone at Mobile, Ala., and was advised that the former Brooklyn second baseman thought Reiser would help the Braves.

Boston has been combing the majors and high minors looking for an outfielder, the weakest spot on the 1948 pennant-winning club.

Reiser will be 29 by the time the next baseball season opens. After Reiser's great rookie season, the injury jinx started to catch up with him. In 1942 he suffered a fractured skull. While in the Army,

See REISER, Page B-8, Column 4.

Bucky Harris Named Pilot At San Diego

San Diego (Calif.), of the Pacific Coast League is the newest port of call for Bucky Harris in his 25-year managerial career. He signed a one-year contract yesterday to manage the Cleveland farm team.

Harris cast his lot with San Diego after weighing an offer to move into the Washington baseball organization as an assistant to President Clark Griffith.

He negotiated for the San Diego post with President Bill Veeck and Vice President Hank Greenberg of the Indians during the baseball meeting in Chicago earlier in the week. Salary terms were not disclosed, but Harris declared "they made it very attractive."

Started 18 Years Ago

Harris was philosphical about his return to the minors after two years as manager of the Yankees in which he won a pennant and a World Series, and finished third in his second season. "I'll be back

See HARRIS, Page B8, Col. 3

Harris' Salary Reported $22,500

San Diego, Calif., Dec. 15 (AP). The signing of Bucky Harris to manage the San Diego club of the Pacific Coast Conference next season was front page news today.

The Tribune-Sun and the Daily Journal both said the one-year contract reportedly called for a salary of $22,500.

This, they added, would make him one of the highest paid managers in minor league baseball.

Lacy Scores 31, But Loyalo Bows

South Orange, N. J., Dec. 15 (AP). Jim Lacy, Loyola of Baltimore's hotshot forward, tossed in 31 points, but his team lost an overtime game to Seton Hall College here last night.

Held in check during the first half, Lacy scored all his field goals in the second half, his last-minute lay-up tying the score at 62-all in regulation time. He fouled out in the overtime period and Bill Saul score dthree of Seton Hall's five points.

In Title Game Sunday

Neale Tells Eagles One Mistake Will Mean Slaughter by Cards

By Ralph Bernstein

Philadelphia, Dec. 15 (AP).—Coach Greasy Neale told his Philadelphia Eagles today that if they make one mistake in Sunday's National Football League title game "the Chicago Cardinals will slaughter us."

The graying Eagle mentor gatfiered his squad in the dressing room prior to workout on a rain-swept Shibe Park and gave out with a heart-to-heart talk.

"We have to play 60 minutes of rough, alert football and above all we must think for 60 minutes, not 59, but 60 minutes.

"One mistake and believe me you'll be trying to catch up."

He turned to his pass defenders and solemnly warned that the Card's Mal Kutner will present their toughest problem of the season.

"And you linemen, especially the tackles, are in for a rough afternoon of double teaming. If you charge they'll ram you into the stands and if you stand still, our doctor will come out and pick up the pieces. It's entirely a question of the smarter team and smarter individuals."

Referring to the fact that Jimmy Conzelmen's Western Division champions have leveled the Eagles five straight times, Neale looked around the room and dryly commented:

"I don't know about you fellows, but I'm a little sick of losing to the Cardinals."

Of course there is a sizable chunk of money at stake—meat on the table for every pro. The share of each player on the winning team will be in the neighborhood of $1500.

Even Gallup Could Predict The Result Here

Chapel Hill, N. C., Dec. 15 (AP). Football fever at the University of North Carolina is not confined to students.

A final examination in history was held recently and the question last on the exam was to be answered true or false. It read:

"Charlie Justice is a more accurate passer, greater kicker and better runner than Doak Walker."

Papers haven't been graded yet, but it is expected that Justice prevailed.

The Walker-Justice debate was heightened recently when the Southern Methodist star was awarded the coveted Heisman Trophy for gridiron excellence. Tar Heels had coveted that honor for their own Choo Choo.

Results

BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA

Washington	92	Philadelphia 81
Minneapolis	79	Indianapolis 61

COLLEGE BASKETBALL

Georgetown	49	Penn St. 41
Navy	58	Virginia 56
Brooklyn Poly.	61	Adelphia 53
Shepherd	67	Salem 66
Pennsylvania	67	Muhlenberg 61
Catawba	60	Hanes Hosiery 36
West Chester Thrs.	77	Washington Coll. 58
Grinnell	54	Coe 42
Quantico	59	Richmond 57
Millersville	53	Shippensburg 43
Kutztown	61	Trenton 37
St. Joseph's	63	Mount St. Mary's 57
Panzer	72	Wagner 71
Louisville	53	Washington 52
Sioux Falls	41	Gustavus Adolphus 40
Slippery Rock	58	Penn St. Thrs. 46
Wilberforce	St. 72	Tiffin 53
Youngstown	52	Hiram 40
Grove City	49	Juniata 46
West. Kentucky	56	East. Kentucky 53
Defiance	68	Findlay 48
Gorham	St. Thrs. 54	Farmington St. 53
Erskine	78	Milligan 67
Peizer	59	Newberry 52
St. Francis	43	Siena 33
Seton Hall	67	Baltimore Loyola 64
Scranton	63	Lock Haven Thrs. 42
Gettysburg	70	Albright 61
Muskingum	95	Sterling 23
Maryville	45	W. North Carolina Thrs. 41
East Tennessee	St. 69	Kings College 63
Elon	80	Richmond Pro. College 20
Concordia	58	Illinois Tech 56

AMERICAN LEAGUE HOCKKEY

Rhode Island	6	New Haven 2
Pittsburgh	6	Cleveland 2
St. Louis	10	Philadelphia 2
Hershey	4	Springfield 4

NATIONAL HOCKEY LEAGUE

Montreal	4	Boston 2
New York	3	Toronto 1

COLLEGE WRESTLING

Yale	20	Columbia 10

COLLEGE GYMNASTICS

Syracuse	74	Cortland 19

All-America Outdraws NFL

Pro Football Attendance Off by 444,665 While Colleges Register All-Time High

New York, Dec. 15 (U.P.).—While college football enjoyed an all-time high in attendance during the 1948 season, the total turnout at major league professional games suffered a drop of 11.93 per cent from the previous year, a United Press survey revealed today.

Attendance at 116 regular season pro games—60 in the National League and 56 in the All-America Conference — slumped 444,665 patrons, from a total of 3,726,374 in 1947 to 3,281,709 in 1948.

A similar attendance survey of 99 major colleges last week showed a percentage increase of almost 6 per cent over the 1947 season.

The gate at the pro games decreased by an average of 3833 fans per game during the past season. An average of 28,291 fans watched the play-for-pay athletes in 1948 compared to 32,124 fans per game in 1947. The per-game turnout in the All-American Conference topped that of the National League this season, 28,888 fans to 27,733.

The older, established National League suffered a greater drop than the 3-year-old Conference. Attendance in the N. F. L. fell off 247,737 patrons—a percentage decrease of 12.96. In the All America, the drop was 196,928 customers, representing a 10.85 per cent decrease.

Total atendance in the National League slumped from 1,911,717 customers in 1947 to 1,663,980 for the same number of games this season with the average turnout dropping from 31,862 to 27,733 fans per game.

In the Conference, the total gate fell from 1,814,657 in '47 to 1,617,729 in '48 and the average attendance declined from 32,405 fans per game to 28,888.

Of the 18 professional clubs, only four showed increased home attendance figures — the Chicago Bears and the Chicago Cardinals in the National and the San Francisco '49ers and the Baltimore Colts in the A. A. C.

San Francisco enjoyed the biggest increase with a boost of 45,394 while the Bears topped the National League with a gain of 33,016. The conference's New York Yankees had the biggest slump—96,567 fans—while the Philadelphia Eagles, Eastern division champions, took the biggest fall in the N. F. L. with 64,364.

The Cleveland Browns, who won all 14 regular season games, showed a decline of 74,141 at home, the New York Giants dropped 52,063 and the Boston Yanks 50,847.

The Brooklyn Dodgers in the A. A. C. and the Yanks in the National played before the fewest number of fans at home. The Dodgers drew only 72,497 in seven games and the Yanks 73,010 for six.

Pro Football Reported About To Make Peace

Chicago, Dec. 15 (U.P.).—An armistice in the bettle between the National Football League and the All-America Conference is near, the Chicago Daily News said today.

The papers said two factors indicated a trend toward a peace. First, Owner-Coach George Halas of the Chicago Bears reportedly conferred with Ben Lindheimer of the Los Angeles Dons and Dan Topping of the New York Yankees yesterday. Second, signing of college stars has been delayed in both leagues until after the winter meetings of the leagues.

There were "persistent rumors" that each league would have liaison men at the annual winter meeting of the rival circuit, the News reported.

It added that there were frequent denials that the San Francisco Forty-Niners and Cleveland Browns would ask the All-America Conference to show sufficient funds to operate in Chicago, Brooklyn and Baltimore before they resume operations next year.

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Downs Has 4 More Winners; Becomes 'Picou of Mountains'

Apprentice's Total Is 28 For 15 Days

By Walter Haight
Post Reporter

Charles Town, W. Va., Dec. 15.—Apprentice Willie Downs went to town again today.

The "Picou of the Mountains" added four victories to bring his 15-day total to 29. His sensational work took the edge off the clash of G. Y. Booker's Lawless Miss and T. H. Hammond's Butler, a race named the Huntington Purse but, as far as the caliber of the two rivals is concerned, might well have been named the "Charles Town Derby."

Lawless Miss hung a two-length defeat on her rival at the end of the trip over the six furlongs, plus 220 yards. Third money in this field of six went to E. L. Miller's Belle Moose.

Oval Deep in Mud

The crowd of 3500 hardy souls, watching racing with conditions at their worst, figured Lawless Miss would get home in front and cashed in $3.20 win mutuel. The winner was clocked in 1:19 1-5, fast track time over an oval deep in slop.

Downs, as usual, lost no time in getting into the winner's circle. He threw a leg over R. H. Rettler's Vitacle in the first race and brought the mare home to the tune of a $14 mutuel.

The youngster was nowhere in particular with C. S. Moses' Beau's Nurse in the second race, the winner turning up in F. A. Piarulli's Frapia which put the finishing touches on a $79.60 daily double while paying a $7.20 win mutuel.

Comes Through Again

In the third event, Downs was third after getting to the front with Bertha Flax's Gay Venture but the fourth race was another story. He boarded the J. R. C. Stable's Rosemerelin. The crowd for the most part, passed him up. However, at the end it was Rosemerelin at a $29.40 mutuel.

Downs came back in the fifth race on H. B. Cohen's Flobuck C, an $8.80 shot. He circled the field with the 3-year-old and won going away by 3 parts of a length.

Downs rode his fourth winner in the day's finale. He took L. E. Torreyson's Bonziah Seniah to the front on the backstretch and then staved off several rivals to win by a length. Bonziah Seniah paid a healthy $16.40.

Virginia Names VMI's Thomason 'Athlete of Year'

Richmond, Va., Dec. 15 (AP).—Bob Thomason, Virginia Military Institute's passing star from Leeds, Ala., today was named the Virginia "athlete of the year" for 1948 by the Associated Press.

The 6-foot 2-inch Thomason passed the Keydets to a football record of six wins and three losses the past season. He threw 177 passes, completed 95 for 1252 yards and 14 touchdowns, and set up five other touchdowns with his aerials. Thomason scored once himself.

Sports writers voted Tommy Thompson, William and Mary football center from Woodbridge, N. J., second, and Jack Cloud, William and Mary fullback from Norfolk, Va., third.

Berkley Springs Lists Court Slate

Berkley Springs, W. Va., Dec. 15. The Berkley Springs High boys quint will play 20 games this season.

The local girls will go into action 14 times in twin-bill preliminaries to the boys' encounters.

Dec. 21—Wardensville, away. Jan. 4—Charles Town, home. Jan. 7—Harpers Ferry, away. Jan. 13—Hancock, home. Jan. 17—Martinsburg, away. Jan. 21—Hedgeville, home. Jan. 25—Paw Paw, home. Jan. 28—St. Joseph's, home. Jan. 31—Wardensville, home. Feb. 2—Paw Paw, away. Feb. 3 or 4—Martinsburg, home. Feb. 7—Shepherdstown, home. Feb. 9 or 10—Charles Town, away. Feb. 11—Harpers Ferry, home. Feb. 15—St. Joseph's, away. Feb. 18—Hedgeville, away. Feb. 22—Hancock, away. Feb. 25—Hancock, away. Feb. 25—†Handley, away. Feb. 28 — †Shepherdstown, away.

†Boys.

What's Going On This Week

TODAY

COLLEGE BASKETBALL

George Washington at Washington and Lee.
Virginia at Maryland, 8:30 p. m.
Roanoke at Catholic, 8:45 p. m.
Quantico at Marine Headquarters, 8:30 p. m.
Montgomery Junior College at Catholic U. Frosh, 7 p. m.
Bullis at Maryland U. Jayvees, 7 p. m.

FRIDAY

COLLEGE BASKETBALL

George Washington at VMI.
Roanoke at Gallaudet, 8:30 p. m.
Western Maryland at American, 8:30 p. m.
Alumni at Miner Teachers, 8:30 p. m.
Davis Elkins at Quantico, 8:30 p. m.
Western Maryland Jayvees at American U. Jayvees, 7 p. m.

HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL

Woodward at Washington-Lee of Arlington, 8:30 p. m.
Poolesville at Damascus, 8:30 p. m.
McKinley Tech at Bethesda-Chevy Chase, 3:15 p. m.
Gonzaga at Sidwell Friends, 3:30 p. m.
St. John's at Priory, 8 p. m.
Fairfax at Montgomery Blair, 8:30 p. m.
Chamberlain at Bell Vocational, 3:30 p. m.
Western at Frederick, Md., 8:30 p. m.
Rockville at London, 3:30 p. m.

PROFESSIONAL HOCKEY

Springfield vs. Washington Lions at Uline Arena, 8:30 p. m.

SATURDAY

COLLEGE BASKETBALL

Clemson at Maryland, 8:30 p. m.
Eastern High at Maryland J. V., 2 p. m.

HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL

Mount Vernon vs. Portsmouth at George Washington in Alexandria, 8:30 p. m.

COLLEGIATE WRESTLING

Gallaudet at West Chester (Pa.) Teachers.

PROFESSIONAL BASKETBALL

Boston vs. Washington Caps at Uline Arena, 8:45 p. m.

Louisville Times

AT TROPICAL PARK

1—Copacabana, Master, Victim.
2—Even Break, Knight's Gift, Blackmont.
3—Whirl Columbia, Mill Creek, Bim's Ally.
4—Dalwater, Andiamo, Leavenworth.
5—Eternal Danger, Con Merchant, Sun Bud.
6—Bahrameter, Gray Warrior, Billy Perry.
7—LET ME THRU, Rose Canyon, Unconditional.
8—Sasco, Darien, Darby Duluth.

AT TROPICAL PARK

1—Victim, Copacabana, Esterita.
2—Even Break, Magnolia, Knight's Gift.
3—Whirl Columbia, Mill Creek, Miss K. T.
4—Valdina Decoy, Andiamo, Stone Hill.
5—Con Merchant, Shifting High, Goldfield.
6—Billy Perry, Bahrameter, Kaslick.
7—LET ME THRU, Bank Balance, Don O'Sullivan.
8—Sasco, Darien, Sunspark.

Charles Town Racing Chart

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1948—RAINING AND SLOPPY.

FIRST RACE—About 7 furlongs. Purse, $800; claiming. For 3-year-olds up. Went to post at 1:01. Off at 1:01⅛. Start good. Won driving; place same. Winner, R. H. Rettler's br. m. (9) by Veto—Spectacle by Johren. Time, 1:31⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
Vitacle	(Downs)	108	6	4	1½	1½	1°	1°	$6.00
Cat K.	(Powers)	113	7	8	2½	61	52	2°	1.90
Baylette	(Hernandez)	114	4	3	3°	3°	4½	3½	3.00
Balcurtis	(Rivera)	109	1	2	1½	2°	2°	4°	14.80
Coral Water	(Sheridan)	109	1	1	52	4°	3½	5°	4.10
Dark Mischief	(Rankin)	115	5	7	61	5°	6°	6°	11.50
Orcus	(Matral)	119	3	6	7°	8	8	7½	24.70
Chally's Bid	(Monteiro)	109	2	5	4°	7°	7	8	27.20

VITACLE, $14.00, $6.40, $3.00; CAT K., $3.60, $2.40; BAYLETTE, $2.60.

SECOND RACE—About 4½ furlongs. Purse, $1200; claiming. For 3-year-olds up. Went to post at 1:28. Off at 1:28. Start good. Won driving; place same. Winner, F. A. Piarulli's b. f. (4) by Strolling Player—Ayoca by Quatre Bras II. Time, 0:52⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	Str.	Fin.	Straight
Frapia	(Cardosa)	113	5	3	2°	2½	1nk	$2.60
Bullrushes	(Baird)	114	2	1	1°	1°	2½	10.90
Shinad Up	(Parise)	116	1	2	4½	3½	3½	5.90
Beau's Nurse	(Downs)	108	7	8	6½	6°	4°	12.60
All Charm	(Bernardo)	114	6	6	3½	4½	5°	22.30
Lee Pal	(Chopin)	116	8	4	5°	5½	6°	38.60
Stella's Sun	(McKinney)	108	4	5	7°	7°	8	30.30
Flatter	(Rivera)	108	4	6	8	8	8	

FRAPIA, $7.20, $3.40, $2.80; BULRUSHES, $2.60, $2.60; SHINED UP, $4.80.

DAILY DOUBLE, VITACLE AND FRAPIA, PAID $79.60.

THIRD RACE—One and one-fourth miles. Purse, $1000; claiming. For 3-year-olds up. Went to post at 1:35. Off at 1:36. Start good. Won driving; place same. Winner, M. Henry's ch. h. (6) by Sweep Like—Soppe Le Haut by Picovochole. Time, 2:13.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
Nikoh's Pal	(Powers)	116	3	3	4°	3½	1°	1°	$2.00
Pack Saddle	(McKinney)	116	1	1	2°	2°	2°	2½	34.00
Gay Venture	(Downs)	111	2	2	1°	1°	3½	3°	2.20
Zorro	(Monteiro)	111	7	6	5½	5½	5°	4°	24.80
Step Up	(Ulmer)	114	8	5	3½	3½	4°	5½	3.30
Raiment	(Challis)	116	4	7	6°	7°	6°	6°	23.20
Invictus	(O'Brien)	116	4	7	6°	7	7	7	4.00

NIKOH'S PAL, $6.00, $4.00, $2.40; PACK SADDLE, $16.40, $4.40; GAY VENTURE, $2.40.

FOURTH RACE—Charles Town course. Purse, $1000; claiming. For 4-year-olds up. Went to post at 2:23. Off at 2:23. Start good. Won driving; place same. Winner, J. R. C. Stable's ch. g. (4) by Green Melon—Lady Linda by Ladysman. Time, 1:18⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
Rosemere Lin	(Downs)	110	3	3	3½	4°	1°	1°	$13.70
Rosedan	(Kosycki)	106	4	7	7°	2½	2°	2°	6.60
Sand Rose	(Weber)	118	4	6	6½	5°	3½	3°	1.60
Hawkwood Arms	(B'ris)	115	2	3	5½	6°	4°	4°	4.80
Valdina Blue	(Powers)	118	5	4	3½	3°	5°	5°	10.70
Corner Star	(Owens)	112	1	2	1°	1°	6°	6°	18.20
Janet Ragland	(R'mond)	108	6	1	1°	2½	7°	7°	6.20
Jack Tangle	(Austin)	115	1	5	4½	7½	8	8	30.00

ROSEMERE LIN, $29.40, $13.80, $5.60; ROSEDAN, $8.60, $3.80; SAND ROSE, $2.80.

FIFTH RACE—About 7 furlongs. Purse, $1200. For 3-year-olds. Went to post at 2:49. Off at 2:49½. Start good. Won driving; place same. Winner, H. B. Cohen's br. g. (3) by Grand Time—Smart Crack by Kiev. Time, 1:30⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
Flobuck	(Downs)	110	4	6	5½	4½	2½	1¾	$9.40
Punxsy	(Powers)	113	3	5	6°	5°	1½	2°	2.80
If You	(Baird)	114	5	2	2°	2°	3½	3°	4.90
Cuban Bill	(Miller)	118	1	3	3½	3°	4°	4°	1.40
To You	(Challis)	112	6	3	4°	5°	5°	5°	30.50
Battle Sandals	(Dosher)	108	2	4	7	6°	6°	6°	70.60
Beggar's Lass	(McK'ney)	107	7	7	6°	6°	7	7	42.60

FLOBUCK C., $8.80, $3.40, $4.00; PUNXSY, $3.80, $4.40; IF YOU, $4.40.

SIXTH RACE—Charles Town course. Purse, $1500. For 3-year-olds up. Went to post at 3:16. Off at 3:16. Start good. Won handily; place driving. Winner, G. Y. Booker's b. m. (5) by Gallahadion—Charlotte Dear by Islam. Time, 1:19⅕.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
Lawless Miss	(Carrollo)	119	1	3	4½	4½	1°	1°	$0.60
Butler	(Parise)	122	6	5	6°	6	4½	2°	2.20
Belle Moose	(Rivera)	111	5	4	3°	3½	2°	3°	3.10
Margaret E.	(Matral)	119	4	6	5°	5½	5°	4°	18.60
Impression	(Challis)	112	2	2	2½	1½	3½	5°	43.50
Second Sight	(Bernardo)	119	4	1	1°	2°	6	6	18.10

LAWLESS MISS, $3.20, $2.60, $2.20; BUTLER, $3.00, $2.60; BELLE MOOSE, $3.00.

SEVENTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles. Purse, $1200; claiming. For 3-year-olds up. Went to post at 3:43. Off at 3:44. Start good. Won ridden out; place driving. Winner, S. H. Roger's b. g. (3) by Pilate—Gay Polka by Pompey. Time, 1:53⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
Gay Pilate	(Lambardi)	117	3	1	1½	1½	1°	1°	$1.00
Sticky Fussy	(Billington)	117	2	2	4°	4½	2°	2°	4.20
Smart Start	(Rankin)	120	7	7	5°	5°	4°	3°	11.50
Tagel	(Scott)	119	5	4	3°	2½	3°	4°	13.00
Sweep Torch	(Monteiro)	114	4	5	2hd	3°	6½	5½	5.80
Weather O. K.	(D'ugdo)	114	6	3	6°	7°	6½	6½	6.40
Glorious Sec	(Richmond)	108	2	3	6°	6°	7	7	42.50

GAY PILATE, $4.00, $2.40, $2.20; STICKY FUSSY, $3.20, $2.60; SMART START, $3.40.

EIGHTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles. Purse, $1200. For 3-year-olds up. Went to post at 4:11. Off at 4:12. Start good. Won driving; place same. Winner, L. E. Torreyson's ch. g. (6) by Forty Winks—Rose Dawn by Pennant. Time, 1:52⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
Bonziah Seniah	(Downs)	109	2	2	4½	2hd	1°	1°	$7.20
Bare Foot Lad	(B'urls)	116	4	8	8	6°	2°	2°	1.70
Cessation	(Richmond)	108	3	4	2°	3°	3hd	3°	15.60
Gremlin	(Baird)	114	5	5	6°	4½	4°	4hd	3.80
Bullhead	(Law)	120	7	7	5½	5°	5°	5°	1.20
Friend or Foe	(McK'ney)	112	6	6	7°	8	6°	6°	6.30
Leprechaun	(Barrett)	111	1	1	1°	1½	7°	7°	66.20
The Shot	(Monteiro)	109	8	5	3°	7°	8	8	19.80

BONZIAH SENIAH, $16.40, $6.60, $4.80; BARE FOOT LAD, $6.40, $6.00; CESSATION, $8.80.

Charles Town

FIRST RACE—About four and one-half furlongs; purse, $1000; claiming; 3-year-olds and upward.

P.P.	Horse and Jockey.	Wgt.	Odds.
1	Tet Boy (Baird)	116	10-1
2	Casue (Downs)	107	4-1
3	My Hat (Cardosa)	116	3-1
4	Permiat (Rivera)	108	5-2
5	Vogts First (no boy)	111	10-1
6	B T Lou (Owens)	113	10-1
7	Wise Decision (Weber)	116	8-1
8	Louie's Line (Dosher)	111	6-1
9	Top Boots (Bernardo)	116	8-1
10	Buckle Time (Baird)	116	8-1
11	Loutey (Powers)	116	5-2
12	Tame Down (no boy)	111	10-1
13	Miss Bonanza (Carrillo)	113	6-1
14	Brooke Argo (Ramirez)	116	6-1

SECOND RACE—About six furlongs; purse, $800; claiming; 3-year-olds and upward.

P.P.	Horse and Jockey.	Wgt.	Odds.
1	Pittstown (no boy)	110	6-1
2	Bugler (Grant)	118	3-1
3	Ray Light (Dosher)	107	20-1
4	Lindas Wash (O'Brien)	112	8-1
5	Card Game (Dosher)	110	20-1
6	Lady Tweed (no boy)	107	10-1
7	Royal Fleet (Kosycki)	110	4-1
8	Poststar (O'Brien)	115	20-1
9	G I Moose (Meyerhoffer)	113	6-1
10	One o' Four (Ulmer)	107	20-1
11	Tetra Rock (Powers)	115	20-1
12	Dot A. (no boy)	110	20-1
13	Big Moose (McKinney)	110	6-1
14	Vera Q. (Downs)	108	8-1

THIRD RACE—Six and one-half furlongs; purse, $1000; allowances; 2-year-olds.

1	Boston Belle (Vessell)	111	12-1
2	Gold Cote (no boy)	106	20-1
3	Saints Rest (no boy)	109	20-1
4	Maxim Miss (no boy)	109	8-5
5	Valley Dream (Montelro)	112	6-1
6	Kalsec (no boy)	106	12-1
7	Bone Meal (Arduini)	111	10-1
8	Battle Clamp (Downs)	112	8-1
9	Honey Bunch (no boy)	111	20-1
10	Light Buckle (no boy)	106	15-1
11	Aldo Queen (no boy)	106	15-1
12	Bella Frances (Austin)	111	20-1
13	Gay Beauty (Lombardi)	106	8-1
14	Maids Son (Rankin)	114	5-2

FOURTH RACE—Seven furlongs; purse, $1200; claiming; 3-year-olds and upward.

1	Angelus (Ramistella)	110	8-1
2	Lock Control (Dosher)	110	3-1
3	Miss Pidgeon (McKinney)	107	6-1
4	Allagazam (no boy)	112	6-1
5	Albatross (Meyerhoffer)	112	4-1
6	Rung (Rivera)	112	8-1
7	Squimp (Downs)	109	6-1
8	Grecian Breeze (Manteiro)	107	15-1
9	Flying Moose (Downs)	115	4-1
10	Ranger Mosby (Arduini)	117	6-1
11	Wapan (Carrille)	117	10-1
12	Runaway (no boy)	112	20-1
13	Dark Buckle (Sheridan)	110	6-1
14	Shadow Dance (Dosher)	107	8-1

FIFTH RACE—About seven furlongs; purse, $1200; allowances; 3-year-olds and upward.

1	Psychic J. (Monteiro)	116	8-1
2	Doctor Jeep (Rivera)	113	4-1
3	Pressure (McKinney)	106	12-1
4	Laurelita (Downs)	106	20-1
5	Chalupa (no boy)	116	20-1
6	Ringside Table (Downs)	108	15-1
7	Young Scamp (Rivera)	106	12-1
8	One Only (Downs)	125	3-1
9	Air Defense (Carrillo)	118	12-1
10	Under Cover (Monteiro)	113	4-1
11	Semlle (Basora)	109	20-1
12	Gay Rocket (Cardoza)	113	3-1
13	Colonel Govans (Downs)	115	6-1
14	Silver Rose (Grant)	108	20-1

SIXTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $1200; allowances; 3-year-olds and upward.

1	aDr. Johnson (Downs)	111	6-1
2	Free Speech (Brady)	110	15-1
3	Polo Dandy (no boy)	105	20-1
4	Let 'Em Wander (Rivera)	110	4-1
5	Brown Tint (Meyerhoffer)	105	20-1
6	Little Pistol (no boy)	102	20-1
7	Redline (Dosher)	103	10-1
8	Slam Bid (Arduini)	116	12-1
9	Four Fly (Downs)	105	12-1
10	Friend or Foe (McKinney)	108	6-1
11	Play War (Clark)	105	20-1
12	Sweet Melody (no boy)	102	15-1
13	†Love Story (no boy)	103	6-1

aJ. K. Wynkoop entry.

SEVENTH RACE—One and one-eighth miles; purse, $1200; claiming; 3-year-olds and upward.

1	Sil Air (Dosher)	109	6-1
2	Dixies Seaman (Sheridan)	109	6-1
3	Rossie Derby (Downs)	113	3-1
4	Wise Step (Miller)	114	10-1
5	Run Pretty (Hernandes)	114	4-1
6	Up Jack (Richmond)	109	6-1
7	Buckeye (Rivera)	109	6-1
8	Last Frontier (McKinney)	109	6-1
9	Gallant Doc (Parise)	114	10-1
10	Royal Step (Carrillo)	114	15-1
11	Hoseah (Dosher)	105	15-1
12	Far Greater (no boy)	111	20-1
13	Chief Adviser (Weber)	117	8-1
14	Mountain Mist (no boy)	111	8-1

EIGHTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $1200; claiming; 3-year-olds and upward.

1	Audible (Meyerhoffer)	110	12-1
2	Arrow Courier (Bernardo)	113	20-1
3	Chain Miss (Rivera)	107	12-1
4	Rose Unity (no boy)	107	8-1
5	Leventis (Bernardo)	112	8-1
6	Bikini Test (Rivera)	110	20-1
7	Play Fook (Downs)	110	4-1
8	Gallant (Sheridan)	110	3-1
9	Winged Heels (Law)	115	3-1
10	Veteran (McKinney)	110	6-1
11	Waxon ((Lombardi)	110	6-1
12	Honey Bun (Richmond)	113	4-1
13	Betzy Bones (no boy)	103	6-1
14	Larkaround (Lombardi)	116	4-1

Fair Grounds

1—1⅛; $1200; claiming; 3-year-olds up.
Our Bleu, 112 (Combest) 4.40 3.20 2.60
I Conquer, 112 (Wilson) 34.80 12.20
Guy Hoited, 115 (Madden) 3.60 5.40
Pinoky Marge, Tiber, Algogog, Top Ridge, Amberley, Real Sweet, Sierra Gene also ran. Time, 1:47⅘.

2—1⅛; $1200; claiming; 3-year-olds up.
Home Spun, 109 (Jenkins) 14.00 6.80 5.20
Hoped Knave, 112 (Wilson) 7.40 5.80
Penny-Packer, 108 (Daniel) 9.00
Vigilante, Hugette, Ubangi, Freddie K., Silvermish, Silver Case and Bart's Chance also ran. Time, 1:47⅘.

DAILY DOUBLE PAID $53.00

3—5½; $1200; claiming; 3-year-olds.
Bennyrain, 107 (Cook) 16.20 6.00 4.20
Stalchek, 111 2(Keene) 6.40 3.80
Monterey, 118 (Hooper) 7.40
Sal Prince, Miscandal, Chance Voyage, Survey, Merry Lad and Christmas Date also ran. Time, 1:07.

4—5½; $1500; allowances; 3-year-olds.
Jack's Niece, 108 (Wright) 9.00 6.00 4.80
Hi West, 106 (Boyle) 9.80 5.00
Little Gin, 118 (Haas) 25.60
Dame D'Honneur, Bird Shot, Miss Sal K., Ky-Cheer and Mrs. Jones also ran. Time, 1:07⅘.

5—½; $1400; claiming; 3-year-olds up.
Invercork, 112 (Baird) 8.00 5.00 3.20
Richaven, 107 (Cartwright) 6.60 3.80
Shaffle, 110 (Spinale) 4.40
Tomos, Gama, Dick Stickney also ran. Time, 1:12.

6—⅝; $1800; allowances; 3-year-olds up.
Tennessee Kid, 112 (Madden) 22.60 5.60 2.60
Athlete, 109 (Dupuy) 3.00 2.40
Repand, 112 (Erickson) 2.20
Risky Mash, Peri-Air, Dutott and Dad also ran. Time, 1:12⅕.

7—1⅛; $1200; 3-year-olds; claiming.
Kelwell, 111 (Boyle) 13.60 6.20 3.80
Security, 112 (Madden) 3.80 3.40
Sister Carmel, 109 (Jenkins) 5.40
Rich Mayer, Biffama, Bad Brandy, Glenwood Kid, Rio Fire also ran. Time, 1:46⅘.

8—1⅛; $1200; 4-year-olds up; claiming.
Complex, 110 (Martin) 107.00 30.00 14.00
Sir Dale, 110 (Keene) 7.80 6.00
Seward Ali, 107 (Haas) 7.60
Sangone, Hasty Message, Crisis, Waverly, Big Buster, Republican also ran. Time, 1:46⅘.

Post Consensus

AT CHARLES TOWN

1—Wise Decision, Top Boots, My Hat.
2—Bugler, Royal Fleet, Fittstown.
3—Battle Clamp, Gold Cote, Valley Dream.
4—Albatross, Flying Moose, Angelus.
5—CHALUPA, Laurelita, One Only.
6—Siam Bid, Free Speech, Brown Tint.
7—Last Frontier, Wise Step, Run Pretty.
8—Leventis, Bikini Test, Gallant.

AT FAIR GROUNDS

1—Hyead, Petrified, Happy Haste.
2—Good Hunting, Mightiest, Glory Song.
3—New Look, Free Night, Chall Amaze.
4—J. J. Lynch, Tennis Ball, Duquesne.
5—FODNER, Stage Play, Ribald.
6—Junior Wolf, Riot, Bellbrook.
7—Oxford Don, Bay Acre, Anake.
8—Sunder, Nostalgia, Darby Dismay.

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Tropical Park

1—¾; $2000; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

Sudden Scare	112	Master	117
Esterita	110	Wrightstown	109
Victim	111	Respire	117
So Provoked	111	Sis Boom Baa	110
Gus G	113	Yavapai	110
Copacabana	119	Lesinian	112
Dainty Red	114	Lamplighter	114
Miss Bun Beau	113	In Earnest	122

2—¾; $2200; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

Ragtime Band	104	Syntet	111
Blarney Maid	112	Blackmont	109
Ferry Pilot	105	Magnolia	106
Gary Leslie	111	Professor Lee	103
Even Break	111	Knight's Gift	119
Gildale	109	Too Risky	113
Princess Reza	113	Eternal Way	106
Hard Facts	103	Ariel Sweep	112

3—¾; $2000; maiden 2-year-olds.

Whirl Columbia	117	Summer Sun	117
Pacific Star	117	Bless Book	112
Miss K. T.	117	Mill Creek	117
Seclusive	117	Bims Ally	117
Fancy Nancy	117	Sharon S	117
Ginkak	117	aQuixotic	112
Widdimere	117	Greenbrier	117
Navy Flash	117	alrene	117

aW. F. Chrysler, Jr., entry.

4—¾; $2200; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

Optionay	114	Duchess Argyle	106
Attic	109	Bad Light	103
Kal Lee	119	Rembird	109
Lapacho	114	Andiamo	109
Leavenworth	109	Stone Hill	109
Dalster	112	Miss Tartan	111
Florente	114	Poignancy	101
Valdina Decoy	114	Ramadan	111

5—⅝; $2000; 2-year-olds; claiming.

Convicted	112	Banovina	116
Shifting High	111	Charm Prince	108
Sun Bud	114	aAll Hostess	111
Alamahd	114	Maelstrom	111
aEternal Danger	100	Goldfield	111
Bumbleberry	116	Apple River	105
Praternal	106	Isoaceles	112
Con Merchant	122	Lady Alice	107

aH. B. MacCrowe-E. K. Bryson entry.

6—1⅛; $2400; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

Phantom Fleet	108	aGray Warrior	119
Peaceiaw	108	Shirt Band	113
Kaslick	114	Bill Rose	114
Bahrameter	112	Rush Hour	115
Shadow Shot	119	aJingle Jangle	119
Evident	118	In Fraganti	117
End of Strife	114	Billy Parry	109

aFertile Acres Farm-Gettinger Stable entry.

7—1¼; $2000; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

Kentucky Day	110	Provoker	108
Unconditional	120	Prepotente	114
Cotem	108	Adlibit	114
Dive Bomber	112	Let Me Thru	115
That's Him	114	Bank Balance	120
Don O'Sullivan	115	Reign Morse	108
Rose Canyon	114		

8—1⅛; $2000; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

Imperil	112	Flying Wasp	118
Darby Duluth	118	Sason	122
Dusty Roads	117	Mr. Danny	108
Sanchilla	113	Darien	108
Martin Wing	118	Red Rob	113
Sunspark	113	Twist	117
Go Devil	117	Kentmere Miss	115
Bee Sting	116	Susan's Beanie	105

Bill Bennings

AT CHARLES TOWN

1—Casue, My Hat, Louie's Line.

2—Bugler, Royal Fleet, Fittstown.

3—Maxim Miss, Saint's Rest, Valley Dream.

4—Lock Control, Albatross, Squimp.

5—One Only, Laurelita, Doctor Jeep.

6—Let 'Em Wander, Friend or Foe, Slam Bid.

7—Sil Air, Upjack, Rossie Derby.

8—Audible, Gallant, Winged Heels.

Best bet—Let 'Em Wander.

Fair Grounds

1—⅝; $1200; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

Play Neddie	107	Count Foray	112
Petrified	115	Tricky Willie	112
Happy Haste	108	Our Best	107
Handsome Bill	115	Brass Cannon	110
I'm Chatty	105	Pert	104
Hyead	109	Metropolitan	112
Silver Jack	115	Mantagris	109
Wise Wonder	109	Terranna	99

2—⅝; $1200; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

Joan Elise	109	Good Hunting	107
Mightiest	115	Grado Primero	112
Glory Song	107	Howdy Rowdy	111
Grandpa Max	107	Head Me	112
Odd Fair	112	My Wash	112
Out Bound Jr.	105	Whyso	110
Mae Linda	109	Kitty Gray	104
Run Sally	106	Maried	109

3—5½; $1200; maiden 3-year-olds.

Studying	116	aFree Night	116
Mintgon	116	Brown Helen	111
Ratine	116	aBonnie B.	116
New Look	116	Fun Quest	111
Lady Kham	116	Chall Amaze	111
Village	116	Countess Polly	111

aJ. Greener-Murray Hill Farm entry.

4—⅝; $1200; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

J. J. Lynch	118	Dear Mom	105
Rosie Chinn	109	Valdina

'Round Our Town

Truman Adds Caps' Pass to Collection

A COUPLE OF WINNERS, President Truman and representatives of the seldom-beaten Washington Caps, exchanged pleasantries at the White House yesterday.

Mr. Truman, heretofore a television fan of the Caps, participated in the usual ritual, receiving a season pass for Uline Arena events.

That just about made it unanimous, the President is on the gold pass list of the American League Baseball League and the two professional football leagues.

In the Caps' party were M. J. Uline, owner; Coach Red Auerbach, Captain Bob Feerick and Bones McKinney. Mr. Truman said the thing that impressed him most about the Caps was that they never seemed to lose.

Unabashed Auerbach promptly added, "You do pretty well on that score yourself, Mr. President." Auerbach also thrust forward a picture of his young daughter to be autographed.

THE CAPS WON'T be the only winning basketball club in town. The Washington Clippers make their debut at Turner's Arena Sunday against Soupy Campbell's Richmond Skaters.

The Clippers, managed by Tommy Tombleston, who played for Selma U., Tusekgee and the Fifth Air Force, have rolled up 119 wins against three losses in the last two years. An elaborate half-time show will present the one and only "Snooky" Marsh, voted the world's greatest comedian, according to the Clippers' modest handout.

AN ARMY-WIDE sports championship program for 1949 was announced here yesterday by Maj. Gen. Russell B. Reynolds, chief of special services.

The first of six sports titles to be decided will be in boxing here Feburary 20-27. Definite site will be announced later. Following the boxing tourney, All-Army titles will be awarded in basketball, bowling, tennis, golf and baseball.

GOLDEN RULE was broken yesterday in an Odd Fellows' bowling league match. League-leading Covenant rolled 1719 to outscore the second-place Golden Rule by 10 points. The losers' Perce Ellett was high man with 384 and Max Solomon led Covenant with 369.

Columbia, Columbian Encampment and Excelsior swept three game sets from Friendship, Brightwood and Loyalty.

Robinson Tops American League Fielders

Nats' New First Sacker Posts .995

Chicago, Dec. 15.—Eddie Robinson, Washington's brand new acquisition, was the best-fielding first baseman in the American League, according to official figures released today.

Robinson, who helped the world champion Cleveland Indians put together the best team average, made only seven errors while accepting 1299 chances for a .995 percentage.

Other individual leaders for Cleveland were Shortstop-Manager Lou Boudreau and Outfielder Dale Mitchell. The Indians finished first among the teams with a .982 average only a point below the major record they set in 1947.

Second base honors went to sawed-off Snuffy Stirnweiss of the Yankees who cracked a league mark for second sackers with a .993 percentage.

Stirnweiss made only five errors, another season's record, while handling 715 chances. Stocky Hank Majeski of the Athletics was the number one fielding third baseman in the league with percentage of .975.

Boudreau, the league's most valuable player, set the pace at shortstop with a mark of .975, compiled by handling 800 chances and making only 20 errors. Boudreau's percentage was seven points off his own loop record. Eddie Joost of the Athletics and Phil Rizzuto of the Yankees ranked second. Each fielded .973.

Mitchell, with three miscues on 322 chances, was the league's finest regular defensive outfielder with .991. Barney McCosky of the Athletics was second with .990 and Taft Wright of the White Sox third with .987.

Bob Swift, Detroit backstop, headed the catchers with a .991 average in 112 games, while veteran Jake Early of Washington ranked second with the identical mark in only 92 contests.

A total of 36 pitchers had flawless fielding records but Freddie Hutchinson of Detroit took the honor by handling the most chances, 64, without a bobble. Second Baseman Jerry Priddy of the Browns, made more errors than any other player in the league, 29.

Four individual fielding marks were tied during 1948. Hal Newhouser of the Tigers started four double plays in one game. Teammate George Vico and Robinson tied a league record for first basemen when each participated in six double plays during one game. Vern Stephens of the Red Sox took part in five double plays at shortstop during one contest, while Second Baseman Joe Gordon of the Indians twice participated in five twin-killings during two different games.

Official American League Fielding

CLUB FIELDING

Club	G	DP	TP	PB	PO	A	E	TC	Pct.
Cleveland	156	183	1	8	4228	1852	114	6194	.982
Boston	155	174	0	5	4141	1796	116	60353	.981
Philadelphia	154	180	1	7	4109	1708	113	5930	.981
New York	154	161	0	13	4097	1493	120	5710	.979
Chicago	154	176	0	15	4038	1839	160	6057	.974
Detroit	154	143	0	13	4131	1643	155	5929	.974
Washington	154	144	0	12	4072	1637	154	5883	.974
St. Louis	155	190	2	7	4120	1737	168	6025	.972
Totals		1351	4	80	32936	13745	1100	47781	.977

INDIVIDUAL FIELDING RECORDS

FIRST BASEMEN

Name and Club	Throws	G	PO	A	E	TC	DP	Pct.
Wooten, Wash.	L	6	53	4	0	57	4	1.000
Berardino, Clev.	R	18	144	14	0	158	19	1.000
Robinson, Clev.	R	131	1213	79	7	1299	123	.995
Arft, St. L.	L	69	598	43	3	644	81	.995
Lupien, Chi.	L	154	1436	92	11	1539	155	.993
Goodman, Bos.	R	117	1101	69	8	1178	118	.993
McQuinn, N. Y.	L	90	693	48	5	746	79	.992
Jones, Bos.	R	31	275	22	2	299	30	.993
Stevens, St. L.	L	85	737	56	7	3800	89	.991
Vernon, Wash.	L	150	1297	113	15	1425	128	.989
Fain, Phil.	L	145	1284	120	16	1420	148	.989
Vico, Det.	R	142	1169	85	15	1269	112	.986
Souchock, N. Y.	R	32	231	13	3	247	25	.988
Henrich, N. Y.	L	46	352	21	6	379	41	.984
Campbell, Det.	L	27	172	18	6	196	11	.969

Triple plays—Stevens, 2; Fain, Robinson, 1 each.

SECOND BASEMEN

Name and Club	G	PO	A	E	TC	DP	Pct.
Stirnweiss, N. Y.	141	346	364	5	715	103	.9930
Doerr, Bos.	138	366	430	6	802	119	.9925
Suder, Phil.	148	342	461	10	813	114	.988
Berardino, Clev.	20	39	46	1	86	11	.988
Michaels, Chi.	55	148	171	8	327	50	.976
Mayo, Det.	86	202	223	11	436	48	.975
Lake, Det.	45	110	132	7	249	31	.972
Gordon, Clev.	144	330	436	23	789	97	.971
Priddy, S. L.	149	407	471	29	907	122	.9678
Kozar, Wash.	149	348	444	27	819	89	.967
Kolloway, Chi.	83	241	276	18	535	62	.966
Sullivan, Wash.	4	5	17	2		1	.920

THIRD BASEMEN

Name and Club	G	PO	A	E	TC	DP	Pct.
Majeski, Phil.	142	63	268	11	442	19	.975
Keltner, Clev.	153	123	312	14	449	27	.969
Keil, Det.	92	108	146	8	262	15	.969
Yost, Wash.	145	189	240	15	444	21	.966
Dillinger, St. L.	153	187	242	20	449	30	.955
Pesky, Bos.	141	221	303	22	546	35	.951
Brown, N. Y.	118	147	213	20	380	25	.947
Appling, Chi.	41	43	62	6	111	7	.946
Baker, Chi.	72	84	163	15	262	13	.943
Outlaw, Det.	71	78	71	10	159	17	.937
Triple play—Dillinger, 1.	47	39	87	11	137	8	.920

SHORTSTOPS

Name and Club	G	PO	A	E	TC	DP	Pct.
Boudreau, Clev.	151	297	483	20	800	119	.975
Joost, Phil.	135	328	409	20	754	115	.973
Kirsuto, N. Y.	129	259	348	17	624	85	.973
Stephens, Bos.	158	269	540	24	833	113	.971
Lupien, Det.	117	211	346	17	574	63	.970
Christman, Wash.	103	207	259	15	481	59	.969
Pellagrini, S. L.	98	194	292	18	504	83	.964
Dente, S. L.	76	138	207	15	360	46	.958
Michaels, Chi.	85	164	285	20	469	63	.957
Sullivan, Wash.	57	94	138	12	244	33	.951
Appling, Chi.	64	133	210	20	363	50	.945
Mecks, Wash.	10	13	18	2	33	6	.939
Berry, Det.	41	67	120	14	201	31	.930

Triple plays—Pellagrini, 2; Boudreau, Joost, 1 each.

OUTFIELDERS

Name and Club	Throws	G	PO	A	E	TC	DP	Pct.
Tucker, Clev.	R	66	172	5	0	177	2	1.000
Lund, St. L.	R	45	72	3	0	75	0	1.000
Culberson, Wash.	R	11	16	1	0	17	0	1.000
Drake, Wash.	R	2	3	0	0		0	1.000
Vollmer, Wash.	R	1	3	0	0		0	1.000
Lindell, N. Y.	R	70	160	7	1	173	1	.994
Mitchell, Clev.	L	140	307	12	3	322	3	.991
McCosky, Phil.	R	134	277	9	3	289	1	.990
Wright, Chi.	R	114	227	9	3	239	3	.987
Edwards, Clev.	L	41	76	1	1	78	0	.987
Valo, Phil.	R	109	231	4	4	239	1	.983
McBride, Wash.	R	55	108	7	2	117	3	.983
Chapman, Phil.	R	118	368	8	7	383	2	.982
Seerey, Clev.-Chi.	R	100	204	9	4	217	5	.982
Clark, Clev.	A	85	108	4	4	114	1	.982
DiMaggio, Bos.	R	155	503	13	10	526	4	.981
Moses, Bos.	L	45	101	2	2	105	1	.981
Kennedy, Chi.-Clev.	R	80	96	5	2	103	1	.981
Williams, Bos.	R	134	289	9	5	303	2	.980
Berra, N. Y.	R	50	93	4	2	99	2	.980
Philley, Chi.	R	128	381	22	9	412	6	.978
Henrich, N. Y.	L	102	216	8	5	229	4	.976
Spence, Bos.	L	92	206	4	3	213	1	.977
Keller, N. Y.	R	66	126	1	3	130	0	.977
Stewart, N. Y.-Wash.	R	114	265	5	7	277	1	.975
Lehner, S. L.	L	89	223	4	6	233	2	.974
Gillenwater, Wash.	R	67	188	4	5	195	0	.974
Evers, Det.	R	138	392	8	11	411	0	.973
Layden, S. L.	R	70	69	3	2	74	0	.973
DiMaggio, N. Y.	R	152	441	8	13	462	1	.972
Mullin, Det.	R	131	274	7	8	289	0	.972
Coleman, St. L.-Phil.	R	58	134	7	4	145	3	.972
Mele, Bos.	R	58	99	2	3	104	2	.971
Open, Wash.	R	131	341	11	11	363	3	.970
Hoeglin, Chi.	R	79	184	9	6	199	0	.970
Judnich, Clev.	L	49	93	4	3	100	0	.970
Kokos-hkal, St. L.	R	21	126	8	5	139	2	.964
Mapes, N. Y.	R	21	42	4	2	48	1	.958
White, Phil.	R	54	108	3	5	116	1	.957
Wooten, Wash.	L	73	81	9	4	94	2	.957
Doby, Clev.	L	113	287	12	14	313	3	.955
Wertz, Det.	R	98	196	11	10	217	3	.954
Platt, St. L.	R	114	230	5	13	248	3	.948
Wakefield, Det.	R	86	198	3	11	212	1	.948
Robertson, Wash.	R	51	105	3	7	115	0	.939

PITCHERS

Name and Club	Throws	G	PO	A	E	TC	DP	Pct.
Hutchinson, Det.	R	33	19	45	0	64	5	1.000
Trucks, Det.	R	43	13	28	0	41	3	1.000
Raschi, N. Y.	R	36	12	28	0	40	3	1.000
Johnson, Bos.	L	35	6	25	0	31	2	1.000
Ferriss, Bos.	R	32	10	21	0	31	1	1.000
Brissie, Phila.	R	29	8	21	0	29	1	1.000
Gettel, Clev.-Chi.	R	27	8	23	0	28	2	1.000
Gutrowski, St. L.	L	26	5	23	0	28	0	1.000
Widmar, St. L.	R	49	4	22	0	26	0	1.000
Klieman, Cleve.	R	44	4	21	0	25	1	1.000
Kennedy, Clev.-St. L.	L	32	3	21	0	24	1	1.000
Drews, N. Y.-St. L.	R	39	3	20	0	23	1	1.000
Overmire, Det.	L	37	6	16	0	22	1	1.000
Byrne, N. Y.	L	31	2	17	0	19	2	1.000
Page, N. Y.	R	35	2	14	0	17	2	1.000
Gillespie, Chi.	R	25	3	13	0	16	0	1.000
Christopher, Clev.	R	45	2	13	0	15	0	1.000
Harriet, Chi.-Wash.	R	34	0	9	0	15	0	1.000
Gray, Det.	L	26	3	11	0	14	1	1.000
Pearson, Chi.	R	21	3	11	0	14	2	1.000
Hiller, N. Y.	R	22	2	11	0	14	0	1.000
Muncrief, Cleve.	R	21	4	10	0	14	2	1.000
Paige, Cleve.	R	21	3	12	0	14	0	1.000
Savage, Phil.	R	33	1	11	0	12	0	1.000
Weltereth, Wash.	R	33	1	11	0	12	0	1.000
Porterfield, N. Y.	R	16	4	8	0	12	0	1.000
Pierce, Det.	L	22	2	9	0	11	0	1.000
Embree, N. Y.	R	20	2	9	0	11	0	1.000
Shore, St. L.	R	17	2	8	0	10	0	1.000
Schwamb, St. L.	R	12	2	8	0	10	0	1.000
Caldwell, Chi.-Bos.	R	33	2	5	0	7	0	1.000
White, Det.	R	27	2	4	0	6	0	1.000
Kellner, Phil.	L	13	0	2	0	2	0	1.000
Bearden, Clev.	L	27	15	52	1	68	11	.985
Newhouser, Det.	R	39	11	52	1	64	8	.984
Haefner, Wash.	L	28	4	38	1	43	2	.977
Fowler, Phil.	R	29	10	30	1	41	4	.976
Reynolds, N. Y.	R	39	10	27	1	38	1	.974
Piovetti, Wash.-Chi.	R	29	6	31	1	38	1	.974
Kramer, Bos.	R	29	5	26	1	32	1	.969
Lemon, Clev.	R	43	23	86	4	113	5	.965
Feller, Clev.	R	44	18	38	2	57	1	.965
Hudson, Wash.	R	39	15	44	3	62	6	.952
Wynn, Wash.	R	33	6	32	2	40	1	.950
Scarborough, Wash.	R	31	13	35	3	51	3	.941
Thompson, Wash.	L	48	7	22	3	31	1	.935
Houtteman, Det.	R	43	9	47	4	60	8	.933
Ferrick, Wash.	R	27	9	17	4	27	1	.926
Candini, Wash.	R	35	9	16	3	27	0	.926
Haynes, Chi.	R	37	6	19	3	27	1	.926
Stephens, St. L.	R	43	2	22	3	28	2	.923
Marchildon, Phil.	R	33	10	36	4	50	2	.920
Galehouse, Bos.	R	27	6	17	2	25	2	.920
Masterson, Wash.	R	33	10	24	3	37	1	.919

CATCHERS

Name and Club	G	PO	A	E	TC	DP	Pct.	PB
Rosar, Phil.	90	335	39	1	375	10	.997	2
Swift, Det.	112	476	55	5	536	13	.991	10
Early, Wash.	92	268	51	3	322	7	.991	8
Hegan, Clev.	142	637	78	7	720	17	.990	6
Wiatrhe, N. Y.	82	378	33	4	415	7	.990	5
Robinson, Chi.	92	303	50	4	357	4	.989	7
Wagner, Det.	52	162	12	2	176	4	.989	1
Baltz, Bos.	41	118	18	2	138	3	.986	0
Evans, Wash.	88	245	38	3	286	6	.983	4
Tresh, Chi.	34	99	16	2	117	1	.983	4
Partee, St. L.	76	297	22	6	325	7	.982	3
Tebbetts, Bos.	126	470	56	10	536	8	.981	5
Okrie, Wash.	17	43	10	1	54	1	.981	1
Berra, N. Y.	71	297	35	7	340	5	.979	8
Guerra, Phil.	47	163	20	5	188	1	.973	4
Tipton, Clev.	40	84	18	3	105	4	.971	2
Weigel, Chi.	39	108	19	4	131	4	.969	4

Louis Names Conn, Savold Contenders

New York, Dec. 15 (U.P.).—At the suggestion of Joe Louis, Harry Markson of the 20th Century Club will stage "some" heavyweight fights at Malison Square Garden this winter in hopes of producing a challenger impressive enough to satisfy Louis as a June title opponent.

Conservatively Harry declined to call the winter bouts either a "round robin" or an "elimination" when he disclosed his plans today.

He said, "Louis is eager to defend his title in June, but he doesn't believe any heavyweight has established himself yet as a challenger who will satisfy the public and the press."

Markson conferred last night with Louis at Philadelphia where Joe won a newspaper decision over Arturo Godoy of Chile in their six-round exhibition.

Did Louis suggest any heavies for the winter bouts?

"He did," said the 20th Century's youngish managing director. "He mentioned Ezzard Charles, Lee Savold, Billy Conn, Gus Lesnevich and Jersey Joe Walcott."

Ball Players Golf Discussed

Miami, Fla., Dec. 15 (AP).—Interest in reviving the annual baseball players' golf tournament is mounting and several cities have inquired about the possibility of entertaining the event, Fred Corcoran, former PGA tournament director, reported today.

Sarasota, Tampa and Miami were among the cities interested.

First endorsement came from Wesley Ferrell, former major league mound star and twice winner of the tournament, who is now a player-manager.

Ferrell said at Sarasota, where he is vacationing, that several golfing baseball players in that area want to revive the tournament, including Al Lopez, John Cooney, Heinie Manush, Paul Waner, Jack Russell, Paul Derringer and Umpire Butch Henline.

Another Sarasota possibility is Paul Cobb, former minor leaguer and brother of the famous Ty Cobb. The latter also would be eligible.

Other outstanding golfers among the baseball fraternity include Charley Gehringer, Dizzy Trout, Dizzy and Paul Dean, Lloyd Brown, Stan Musial, Alvin Dark, Lou Boudreau and Joe Cronin.

Corcoran said it had been suggested that two tournaments be held, in Florida and California, to accommodate players in the two States when the tournament is held in February, just before spring training starts. Winners of each may meet in a playoff later in the spring.

Davis Elected Terps Captain

Fred Davis, senior end, was elected captain of the 1949 Maryland University football team at a meeting of the Terrapin squad last night.

Davis is a Cumberland, Md., boy. He played on both defense and offense the past season. He succeeds Gene Kinney, center, as team captain.

Baxter, McCoy Win Team Wrestling Match

Laverne Baxter and Bibber McCoy won the team match over Golden Superman and Stu Hart after 34 minutes of the main wrestling bout last night at Turner's Arena.

In the preliminaries, Wilbur Nead defeated Francois Miquette in 22 minutes with an airplane spin, George Macricostas made Joe Kamaroff surrender after 16 minutes with an arm lock, and Fred Corona pinned Johnny Gallagher with a body press in 17 minutes.

Court Games Wanted

Maryland Park A. C., unlimited basketball team, is seeking games on a home and away basis. Write Avery Coleman, 519 72d pl., Seat Pleasant, Md., or phone Hillside 7223.

Snead Wins Havana Golf

Havana, Dec. 15 (AP).—Sam Snead of White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., leading all the way, won the Havana best-ball golf tournament today with a score of 193, 23 strokes under par.

E. J. (Dutch) Harrison of Little Rock, Ark., who fired a 67 over the 72-par course on his final tour, finished second one stroke off the pace.

In the unique tournament, the pros teamed with two amateurs and could take either for a partner. Snead's mate was Bobby Maduro, son of a Havana businessman.

Johnny Palmer of Badin, N. C., came in third in the best-ball competition with 196. Detroit's Chick Harbert was fourth at 197.

Snead, whose prize money amounted to $1,900, also had the best individual score of the meet with 209, seven under regulation. He had rounds of 69, 68, 72.

With no help from their partners, Jimmy Demaret of Ojai, Calif., shot 210 for the three rounds and Palmer and Harrison 211 each.

Demaret's actual score was aided by a course record equaling 64 yesterday. He had a 72 today.

Lew Has 203

Havana, Cuba, Dec. 15.—Lew Worsham, the Oakmont, Pa., pro from Washington, D. C., was nine strokes off Sammy Snead's leading pace in the Best Ball Tournament here today with a 203 score.

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Navy Sinks Virginia, 58-56, in Last Minute

Coolidge Wins, 51-49, Over G-Prep

Ken Luxenberg's hook shot with 40 seconds left gave Calvin Coolidge High a 51-49 victory over Georgetown Prep yesterday at Coolidge.

The teams were deadlocked at 29 all at intermission, and 48-48 with a minute left. Luxenberg's basket put the game on ice for the Colts, and gave them their second win in three starts. Tom Crowley led Prep with 15 points. It was the Little Hoyas first loss in two games.

Coolidge	G	FG	PF	P	G't'n Prep	G	FG	PF	P
Barrett,f	2	3	4	7	O'Donnell,f	3	3	4	9
Anderson,f	3	0	5	6	Kennedy,f	2	1	5	5
Dantuano,f	2	1	0	5	Haley,f	0	0	2	0
Fogelgren,f	1	0	0	2	Conger,f	0	0	0	0
C.H'vener,c	3	1	3	7	Riley,f	0	2	2	2
Langrall,c	0	1	2	1	Waller,c	0	0	0	0
Eslin,g	2	3	5	7	Gardner,c	0	0	0	0
Lux'berg,g	3	4	4	10	Spalding,c	1	0	5	2
D.H'vener,g	1	2	1	4	Miehem,g	0	0	0	0
Hollowell,g	1	0	0	2	Nolan,g	0	0	0	0
					Garrett,g	0	0	0	0
					Crowley,g	5	5	2	15
					Burke,g	1	2	5	4
					Claxton,g	8	2	5	12
Totals	18	15	24	51	Totals	17	15	30	49

Halftime: 29-29. Officials—Portnoy and Latona.

Bell Defeats Anacostia, 39-29

Bell Vocational High, looking forward to its admission to the Interhigh Basketball League, yesterday defeated Anacostia's junior varsity, 39-29, at Anacostia's gym. Len Shiflet set the pace for Bell with 12 points.

Bell.	G	GF	PF	P	A'stia J.V.	G	FG	PF	P
J.Gote,f	4	0	2	8	Money,f	2	2	1	6
Spicer,f	3	1	3	7	C'ningham,f	0	0	1	0
Shifflet,f	4	4	1	12	Chatlin,c	3	4	1	10
Swindler,c	2	0	1	4	Cober,c	1	0	3	2
Pearson,c	3	1	3	7	Faulkner,g	3	2	4	8
Yardley,g	0	1	1	1	Beasley,g	0	2	0	2
Yowell,g	0	0	0	0	Ciama,g	0	1	5	1
Swiggard,g	0	1	0	1					
Smith,g	0	0	0	0					
Peel,g	0	0	0	0					
Follin,g	0	0	1	0					
Totals	16	7	12	39	Totals	9	11	15	29

Halftime: 27-12, Bell.

DeMatha Routs Upper Marlboro

DeMatha Catholic High of Hyattsville had an easy time running up a 47-8 win over Upper Marlboro yesterday at Upper Marlboro. Although he played for only one quarter, Freddie Richardson scored 12 points to lead DeMatha to its sixth victory in nine games.

DeMatha.	G	FG	PF	P	Up.M'boro.	G	FG	PF	P
Rich'son,f	6	0	0	12	Farrell,f	1	0	1	2
Donald,f	1	0	0	2	Purdy,f	0	0	0	0
Monahan,f	2	0	0	4	Bradbury,f	0	1	2	1
Ciametti,f	1	0	0	2	Sweney,f	0	0	0	0
O'Rourke,c	0	1	0	1	DeVaughn,c	2	1	2	5
Parlon,c	3	0	2	6	Buck,c	0	0	0	0
Plackett,g	4	0	2	8	Burch,g	0	0	1	0
Devaney,g	3	2	4	8	Cook,g	0	0	0	0
Greene,g	2	0	0	4	Prazie,g	0	0	0	0
					Cave,g	0	0	1	0
Totals	22	3	8	47	Jacobs,g	0	0	0	0
					Totals	3	2	7	8

Halftime: 18-5, De Matha. Referee—Mondorff.

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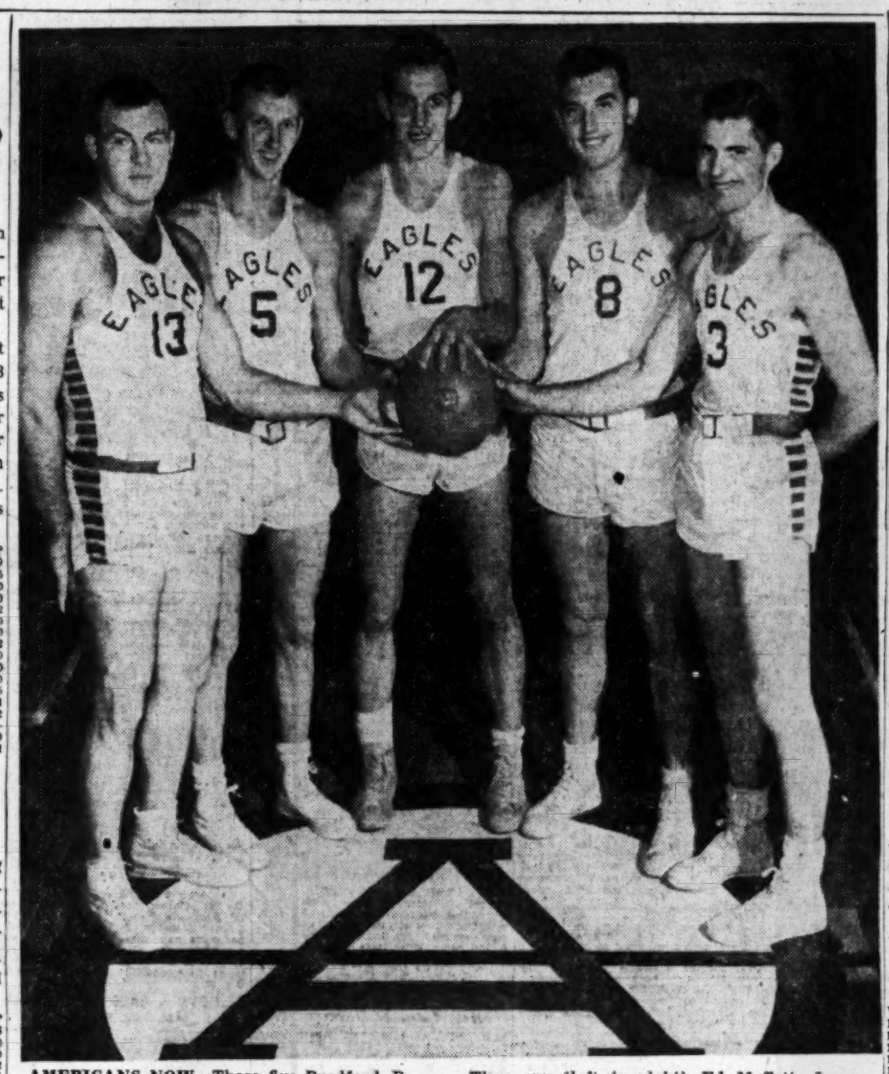

AMERICANS NOW—These five Bradford, Pa., natives have been key figures in pacing American University's basketball team to a 6-2 record. They are (left to right) Ed Moffatt, James (Packey) Morris, Roy Ishman, Freddie Fling and Ralph Benson

Marines Nose Out Richmond

Quantico, Va., Dec. 15.—The Quantico Marines withstood a last-minute University of Richmond rally and defeated the Spiders, 59-57, here toniht.

The Marines took a 59-54 lead into the last minute of the tigghtly contested game. Then Elmo Stephenson sent in a layup shot, and Jim Suttenfield scored a foul goal to move Richmond to within two points of a tie.

With six seconds left, officials called a jump ball between Quantico's 6-foot 3-inch Don Conroy and Richmond's 5-foot 5-inch Bootsie Dolsey. Conroy won the tap, and the Marines held onto the ball to win their sixth game against four losses.

Quantico	G	FG	FP	P	Richmond	G	FG	FP	P
Whitlow,f	2	0	0	4	Dolsey,f	4	2	2	10
Patrick,f	4	0	1	8	Haines,f	4	3	4	11
Friesen,f	3	2	2	8	Anastasia,f	0	0	0	0
Skinner,f	0	1	0	1	S'uenfield,c	5	3	0	13
Waldrop,c	7	1	4	15	Lowry,c	1	0	1	2
Robbins,g	3	0	3	6	Brown,g	2	3	2	7
Conroy,g	0	0	3	0	Brimm,g	0	0	0	0
Lister,g	0	0	4	0	St'henson,g	4	6	3	14
Spuhler,g	7	3	4	17					
Totals	26	7	21	59	Totals	20	17	11	57

Score at half, 21-28. Quantico. Referees—Portnoy and Buscher. Foul goal missed: Quantico—Whitlow, Patrick, Lister (2). Friesen, Spuhler (2). Richmond—Dolsey, Suttenfield, Brown, Stephenson (4).

Let's Face the Facts

'Little American U.' Threatens To Dwarf D. C.'s 'Big Three'

By Herb Heft
Post Reporter

Maybe it's time for Georgetown, George Washington and Maryland to face the facts and recognize that there's a fourth major collegiate basketball power in Washington.

For years, the three big schools have avoided playing American U., contending that A. U.'s winning records were compiled against mediocre opposition, that A. U. couldn't attract a crowd, that A. U. didn't abide by N. C. A. A. rules, and finally that their own schedules were filled.

The 1948 Eagles have dispelled these excuses by decisively beating Penn State, Connecticut and Brooklyn Poly, outdrawing G. W. and Georgetown at their first two home games, and by gaining N.C.A.A. membership last September.

President Paul Douglass, American U.'s outspoken foe of "professionalism" in college football, is the Eagles' most rabid basketball rooter. He followed the team to Brooklyn last month, and is prodding his Coach Staff Cassell to challenge tougher rivals.

Virginia, Penn State and maybe Connecticut will play American U. here next year, and Cassell said yesterday that he will soon make his annual bid for games with the three big local schools.

If they refuse again, they'll be liable to the suspicion that they're afraid of getting knocked off by "upstart," American U.

Prospects of continuing success for the Eagles are good. Three juniors, Freddie Fling, Ralph Benson and Johnny Wakefield, are the oldest members on the squad. They have height with 11 men topping 6 feet 1 inch, and Ronnie Garshag, sophomore center, standing 6 feet 6 inches.

Their latest fair-haired boy is Roy Ishman, 6-foot 4-inch forward, who dropped in 29 points against Penn State. He has a crooked right arm as the result of a war accident in Italy, and never grins on the basketball court. The reason is that he lost his two front teeth in a scrimmage collision with the Caps' John Mahnken last year, and takes his plate out for each game.

Ishman is one of five A. U. players from the small basketball-minded town of Bradford, Pa. He Benson Fling, Eddie Moffatt and Packy Morris played high school ball there under Cassell's old college buddy, Skeeter Brace.

The 6-foot 2-inch, 220-pound Moffatt was an especially good catch. G. W. was after him because his brother, Johnny, is a Colonial star. But Brace shipped Eddie to American, and the big boy has been invaluable under the backboards, and netted 13 points against Penn State.

Adding local flavor to the club is Bob Lamon, the Eastern High alumnus, who has been its most consistant scorer. He was a valuable decoy against Penn State, meriting two guards, and leaving Ishman open for his great scoring spurt.

HARRIS—*From Pg. B-5*

Bucky Lands At San Diego

in the majors some day," he said.

The Harris-to-San Diego story got its start 18 years ago when Harris was manager of the Detroit Tigers, and a tall rookie first baseman got a try-out with the team. For three years, Harris retained the rookie in the Tigers' farm system and then brought him up to the majors, never relenting his faith in the fellow's ability to be a star.

Hank Greenberg was the rookie's name.

It was Greenberg, now an important wheel with the Indians, who first asked Harris to take the San Diego job and emphasized Harris' managerial talents in talks with President Veeck.

CAPS—*From Page B-5*

Caps Trounce Philly, 92-82

whose dazzling work contributed mightily to the Caps' victory surge, didn't make a field goal in the first half, but wound up the evening with 14 points.

Ph'alephia	G	FG	FF	P	W'hington	G	FG	FF	P
Fulks,f	7	12	6	26	N'lander,f	4	1	2	9
Bishop,f	4	1	3	9	O'Keefe,f	2	0	2	4
Rullo,f	2	2	3	6	McKinney,f	9	4	4	22
S'owski,c	6	6	3	18	Zunic,f	0	0	4	0
M'thaler,c	0	0	1	0	Hermsen,c	4	4	6	12
Farbman,g	0	0	1	0	Toomay,c	4	1	3	9
Musi,g	0	1	1	1	Feerick,g	4	6	1	14
F'man,g	4	6	1	14	H'tsberg,g	2	4	1	8
Senesky,g	2	2	1	6	Scolari,g	5	7	4	17
Croesin,g	0	0	1	1	K'kaveck,g	3	0	5	6
Totals	25	31	21	81	Totals	33	26	29	92

Score at half—Philadelphia, 42; Washington, 36. Referees—Kennedy and Nucatola.

Washington	18	18	26	30—92
Philadelphia	16	26	15	24—81

Free throws missed: Philadelphia—Fulks, Bishop, Farbman, Senesky. Washington—McKinney (2), Hermsen, Feerick.

Mahnken Stops Mikan, But Lakers Win, 79-61

Minneapolis, Dec. 15 (AP).—Although George Mikan, who has averaged 29.6 points per game, was held to 12 tonight, the Minneapolis Lakers coasted to a 79-61 victory over Indianapolis in a Basketball Association of America contest.

Mikan, who was held down by John Mahnken and a three-man Indianapolis defensive combination, scored only 6 points in each half.

Indiana'lis	G	FG	FF	T	Minneapolis	G	FG	FF	T
Black,f	4	6	3	14	Pollard,f	3	2	1	9
Lumpp,f	1	1	2	3	Carlson,f	6	0	2	12
Kostecka,f	2	4	0	8	Jaros,f	4	2	5	10
Mahnken,c	0	2	3	2	Gardner,f	0	1	0	1
Mandic,c	2	0	1	4	Mikan,c	5	2	1	12
Brookfield,g	5	1	2	11	Bloom,c	0	0	1	0
Nagy,g	4	3	2	11	Schaefer,g	3	2	1	10
Pastoglia,g	4	0	2	8	Froman,g	2	2	2	6
					Ferrin,g	1	1	4	3
Totals	22	17	17	61	Dwan,g	3	0	1	6
					Totals	33	13	19	79

Halftime Score—Minneapolis, 35; Indianapolis, 25.

Free throws missed—Black, Kostecka (2), Lumpp (3), Brookfield (2), Nagy (3), Carlson, Jaros (2), Mikan (2), Dwan.

REISER—*From Pg. B-5*

Reiser Traded To Braves

during 1943, 1944 and 1945, he suffered a shoulder injury.

Back with the Dodgers in '46, he broke an ankle in the final month of the year that was the season the Brooks and Cards finished in a first-place tie.

In 1947 he was in and out of the lineup and he never did play regularly in '48 when he returned to his old switch-hitting style for several years, he batted only left-handed.

QUANTICO—*Fr. Pg. B-5*

Quantico Uses 2-Team System By Force, but With Success

Marines in the All-Navy championship game at Norfolk last Saturday. Rudy Flores' passing was off, so Harwood inserted Roy Russell who promptly pitched a 23-yard touchdown pass to End Ray Pfeifer.

Then when Russell took the "B" team to the San Diego 14 and it appeared to bog down, Team "A" came charging into the game. A Flores pass was incomplete, but Runner Bartos became a passer and tossed a 14-yard touchdown to End Ernie Hargett.

Except for Bartos, whose 13 touchdowns have accounted for 78 points, scoring is evenly divided among players of both teams.

In Navy circles they do worry about that limit on officers. In a West Coast game, Alameda insisted on a time out while the officials checked the San Diego Marines. The game proceeded when Alameda was satisfied San Diego was using only four boys with bars.

The Marine Corps rightfully is famed for its esprit de corps and Quantico is no exception. Coach Harwood tried hard to get the squad to elect cocaptains but after three ballots five players still had an equal number of votes—Joe Bartos, Center Bill Jesse, Ernie Hargett, Ray Schuett and George Greco. The three last named are enlisted men.

Wilson's Goal Nets 3d Win For Middies

Annapolis, Md., Dec. 15 (AP).—Willie Wilson's field goal with one minute to play won a bitterly contested basketball decision for Navy over Virginia today, 58-56.

Wilson, whose 13 points led the Midshipmen's attack, hooked one in from under the basket to break a 56-all tie after his teammate, Joe Fitzpatrick, missed a free throw.

The game was waged on even terms all the way with the score tied at halftime, 34-all.

Virginia's high-scoring Joe Noertker led both teams with 20 points. He was followed by Lou Morris, who had 14, and Ron Richard, 13.

With Lou Morris hitting for four quick goals, Virginia pulled away after the halftime intermission and at one stage led by six points.

The Cavalier offensive slowed, however, when Center Joe Noertker was banished on five personal fouls. Less than three minutes after his departure, Harry Woods scored at the end of a fast break to put the Midshipmen ahead, 52-51.

The two quintets traded counters until with 1½ minutes remaining, Virginia's Bill Pandak netted a free throw to match them at 56.

This was the third straight triumph for Coach Ben Carnevale's Middies, who embark tomorrow on a three-game tour of the Midwest.

Virginia.	G	FG	FF	P	Navy.	G	FG	FF	P
Richard,f	5	3	4	13	Woods,f	5	1	2	11
Pandak,f	2	1	3	5	F'patrick,f	1	1	3	3
Morris,f	7	0	4	14	R'berger,f	2	2	0	6
N'rtnker,c	7	6	5	20	Williams,c	2	1	1	5
Elliott,c	0	0	0	0	Wilson,c	5	3	2	13
Allen,g	1	0	2	2	Mullaney,g	5	1	2	11
Yoos,g	0	2	3	2	Barrow,g	2	3	3	7
Hooper,g	0	2	0	2	Clinite,g	0	0	2	2
Horsley,g	0	0	0	0					
Totals	22	12	23	86	Totals	23	12	16	58

Halftime: Navy, 34; Virginia, 34. Free throws missed: Virginia—Richard (2), Noertker (3), Elliott (3). Yoos. Navy—Woods (3), Fitzpatrick (2), Rensberger, Williams, Wilson, Barrow, Clinite.

HOYAS—*From Page B-5*

Georgetown Wins, 49-41

was high for the night with 14 points.

Georgetown Frosh lost its first game to Headquarters Marines in the preliminary, 53-50, despite Tony Durmowicz's 18-point contribution. The Marines, scoring their twelfth win in 16 starts, were led by Johnny Gaughan's 16 points.

Georgeto'n	G	FG	FF	P	Penn State	G	FG	FF	P
Brown,f	4	2	3	10	Lamie,f	3	1	5	7
Allagia,f	0	0	0	0	Ruhlman,f	0	2	2	2
Leddy,f	2	1	2	5	Nordblom,f	0	1	2	1
Falvey,f	1	3	0	5	Bozinski,c	0	0	0	0
Kelly,c	0	0	0	0	Costa,c	3	0	5	6
Mazzotta,g	2	2	1	6	Simon,g	2	6	3	14
Culhane,c	0	1	2	1	Parkhill,g	1	0	4	2
O'Keefe,g	1	2	3	4	Tocci,g	4	1	2	9
Ablondi,g	1	0	1	2	McKown,g	0	0	0	0
Corley,g	5	3	4	13					
Totals	16	17	15	49	Totals	15	11	25	41

Georgetown	13	11	10	15—49
Penn State	13	10	7	11—41

Foul goals missed: Georgetown—Corley, Culhane, Falvey, Kelly, Allagia, Mazziotta (2), Brown (3), Ablondi (2), Leddy (2); Penn State—Costa, Nordblom (2), Lamie (2), Tocci. Officials—Shirley and Eisenstein.

Marines	G	FG	FF	P	G. U. Fr.	G	FG	FF	P
Gainy,f	5	1	0	11	Kirby,f	1	2	2	4
White,f	0	0	0	0	O'Bowie,f	8	2	1	18
L'nourne,f	2	5	2	9	Nigrelli,f	2	1	4	5
Dilbeck,f	2	1	1	5	Norris,c	5	0	4	10
Coffman,c	4	2	1	10	Conolon,c	0	0	1	0
Johnson,c	0	0	0	0	Higdon,c	0	0	0	0
Gaughan,g	7	2	0	16	Wilson,g	2	0	0	6
Sullivan,g	0	0	0	0	Scott,g	0	0	0	0
Even,g	0	0	2	0	O'Leary,g	1	0	0	2
Wertz,g	0	0	0	0	Vitale,g	0	0	0	0
Glandorf,g	1	0	0	2	Wagner,g	0	0	0	0
Dormady,g	0	0	1	0					
Totals	21	11	7	53	Totals	23	4	17	50

Score at half—Marines, 29; G. U. Frosh, 28. Referees—Tardungo and Coupe.

AAU Hears Reports On Convention Tonight

The District of Columbia AAU will stage its final monthly meeting of the year tonight, 8 o'clock, at Jewish Community Center.

President Eddie Rosenblum will conduct the business meeting, and the District delegates will give reports on action taken at the recent national AAU convention in New York.

St. Anthony's Whips Chamberlain, 55-45

St. Anthony's High opened its basketball season with a 54-45 triumph over Chamberlain Vocational yesterday at Chamberlain. Bob Bezek's 16 points led the St. Anthony scoring parade.

Thrifty Wins

Thrifty Beverages defeated C.R.E.I., 68-35, in an Industrial League preliminary game.

Thrifty.	G	FG	F	CREI.	G	FG	P
Wickers,f	3	2	8	McDonald,f	3	4	10
Harrell,f	7	0	14	McDermott,f	0	0	0
Ricucco,f	1	0	2	Brown,f	3	1	7
Baryon,f	2	1	5	Rice,f	2	3	7
Hensbaugh,f	0	2	2	Duffy,f	1	1	3
Moorer,c	3	0	6	Hawa,c	0	1	1
Cranford,c	6	1	13	Sparks,c	0	0	0
Hilock,g	3	2	8	Richards,g	2	2	6
Brockerman,g	5	0	10	Ponder,g	1	1	1
Totals	30	8	68	Totals	11	13	35

Halftime: Thrifty Beverages, 25; CREI, 15.

Third Infantry Wins

Fort Myer's Third Infantry Regiment's basketball team registered its fifth victory in six starts, defeating Fort Meade last night, 60-55. Clyde Drake led the victors with 18 points.

Terps, Catholic Play at Home

Virginia hopes to regain its winning ways tonight at College Park against a Maryland basketball team that has won only one in four starts.

The Cavaliers, led by high-scoring Joe Noertker, scored four successive triumphs before losing its last two outings to Duke, 47-37, and Navy, 58-56.

Catholic U. also is at home tonight, seeking revenge against the Roanoke five that snapped its four-game winning streak last week, 51-38. The Cardinals think they were unduly cautious against Roanoke in that one and figure they can reverse that score.

George Washington, with two victories and one loss in Southern Conference competition, travels to Lexington to meet Washington and Lee. The Generals lost their only start to East Tennessee State.

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PHILIP ROSENFELD, Attorney, 1109 Woodward Building.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
For the District of Columbia, holding a Probate Court. Estate of Jennie W. Gibson, deceased. No. 72100. Administration Docket 152. Application having been made herein for probate of the last will and testament of said deceased, and for letters testamentary on said estate, by William W. Gibson, it is ordered this 7th day of December, A. D. 1948, that Margaret Gibson Tate, nonresident, and all others concerned, appear in said Court on TUESDAY, the 18th day of January, A. D. 1949, at 10 o'clock a. m., to show cause why such application should not be granted. Let notice hereof be published in the Washington Law Reporter and The Washington Post, once in each of three successive weeks before the return day herein mentioned, the first publication to be not less than thirty days before said return day. Witness, the Honorable BOLITHA J. LAWS, Chief Judge of said Court, this 7th day of December, A. D. 1948. Attest: (Seal.) THEODORE COGSWELL, Register of Wills for the District of Columbia, Clerk of the Probate Court. Dec.9,16,23

PHILIP ROSENFELD, Attorney, 1109 Woodward Building.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
for the District of Columbia, holding a Probate Court. Estate of Emma Eleanor Shepherd, deceased. No. 72127. Administration Docket 152. Application having been made herein for probate of the last will and testament of said deceased, and for letters testamentary on said estate, by R. Edward Early, it is ordered this 7th day of December, A. D. 1948, that Elizabeth Bertsche, Albert E. Wiggin, jr., Edith B. Cameron, Ada S. Macomber, Carrie Ellen Bussell, nonresidents, and all others concerned, appear in said Court on TUESDAY, the 18th day of January, A. D. 1949, at 10 o'clock a. m., to show cause why such application should not be granted. Let notice hereof be published in the Washington Law Reporter and The Washington Post, once in each of three successive weeks before the return day herein mentioned, the first publication to be not less than thirty days before said return day. Witness, the Honorable BOLITHA J. LAWS, Chief Judge of said Court, this 7th day of December, A. D. 1948. Attest: (Seal.) THEODORE COGSWELL, Register of Wills for the District of Columbia, Clerk of the Probate Court. Dec.9,16,23

FROST & TOWERS
Southern Building

IN THE MUNICIPAL COURT FOR THE District of Columbia, Civil Division. Bernard L. Eberts, et al., plaintiffs, vs. Faye Weiss, et al., defendants. Civil Action No. A-25433. Order of publication. The object of this suit is to permit the plaintiffs to pay into the registry of the Court the sum of $1,000.00 which they hold as a cash deposit made on unconsummated contract of sale dated June 9, 1947, wherein the defendant Price was the seller and the defendants Weiss and Marx the purchasers and thereupon be discharged of liability in the premises and to require the defendants to interplead and settle between themselves their rights to said fund. On motion of the plaintiffs it is this 13th day of December, A. D. 1948, ordered that the defendant, John H. Price, cause his appearance to be entered herein on or before the fortieth day, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, occurring after the day of the first publication of this Order; otherwise the cause will be proceeded with as in case of default. ARMOND W. SCOTT, Judge. A true copy. Test: (Seal.) WALTER P. BRAMHALL, Clerk. By C. A. CLEMENTS, Deputy Clerk. Dec.15,22,29.

MATTHEW J. O'CALLAGHAN, JR., Attorney for Petitioners, 543 Transportation Building.

Filed November 26, 1948—HARRY M. HULL, Clerk.
IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT Court for the District of Columbia. In re Joseph Anthony Turano and Floriene Turano, petitioners. Civil Action No. 4794-48. For change of name. Joseph Anthony Turano and Floriene Turano in their own right as adults, having filed a complaint for a judgment changing their names to Joseph Anthony Cooper and Floriene Cooper, respectively, and having applied to the court for an order of publication of the notice required by law in such cases, it is, by the court, this 26th day of November, 1948, ordered, that all persons concerned show cause if any there be, on or before the 27TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1948, why the prayers of said complaint should not be granted. Provided, that a copy of this order be published once a week for three consecutive weeks before said day in The Washington Post and the Washington Law Reporter. EDWARD M. CURRAN, Judge. A true copy. Test: (Seal.) HARRY M. HULL, Clerk. By ELIZABETH M. KOWALSKI, Deputy Clerk. Dec.2,9,16

J. FONTAINE HALL, Attorney

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT for the District of Columbia, holding Probate Court. No. 72031. Administration. This is to give notice. That the subscriber of the District of Columbia has obtained from the Probate Court of the District of Columbia, letters testamentary on the estate of Maria Louise Higgins, late of the District of Columbia, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 27TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, A. D. 1949; otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 29th day of November, 1948. NATIONAL SAVINGS AND TRUST COMPANY By BRUCE BAIRD, President. Attest: (Seal.) THEODORE COGSWELL, Register of Wills for the District of Columbia, Clerk of the Probate Court. Dec.2,9,16

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RAUH & LEVY, Attorneys, 1631 K St. N.W.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT for the District of Columbia, holding Probate Court. No. 71978. Administration. This is to give notice that the subscriber of the State of Virginia has obtained from the Probate Court of the District of Columbia, letters of administration on the estate of Louis Cohen, late of the District of Columbia, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 2D DAY OF NOVEMBER, A. D. 1949; otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 2d day of November, 1948. LOUISE SISSMAN, 1400 S. Edgewood St., Arlington, Va. Attest: (Seal.) MELVIN MARQUES, Deputy Register of Wills for the District of Columbia, Clerk of the Probate Court. Dec.16,23,30

WILMER & BROUN, Attorneys, 616-621 Transportation Building.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT for the District of Columbia, holding Probate Court. No. 71170. Administration. This is to give notice that the subscriber of the State of Florida has obtained from the Probate Court of the District of Columbia, ancillary letters of administration on the estate of Frank M. Williams, also known as Francis M. Williams, late of the State of Florida, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 6TH DAY OF DECEMBER, A. D. 1949; otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 6th day of December, 1948. MARGARET V. WILLIAMS, P.O. Box 1125, Stuart, Fla. Attest: (Seal.) ELLA A. BROWN, Deputy Register of Wills for the District of Columbia, Clerk of the Probate Court. Dec.16,23,30

PEELLE AND NICHOLS, Attorneys Hibbs Building

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT for the District of Columbia, holding Probate Court. No. 72071. Administration. This is to give notice that the subscriber of the District of Columbia, has obtained from the Probate Court of the District of Columbia, letters of administration on the estate of John R. Troilinger, late of the District of Columbia, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same with the vouchers thereof, legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 12TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, A. D. 1949; otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under its hand this 29th day of November, 1948. American Security and Trust Company, By: WM. S. FRENCH, JR., Assistant Trust Officer. Attest: THEODORE COGSWELL, Register of Wills for the District of Columbia, Clerk of the Probate Court. Dec.2,9,16.

THOMAS F. BURKE, Attorney, Woodward Building

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT for the District of Columbia, holding Probate Court. No. 71494. Administration. This is to give notice that the subscriber of the District of Columbia has obtained from the Probate Court of the District of Columbia, Letters Testamentary on the estate of Carrie E. Cook, late of the District of Columbia, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 30TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, A. D. 1949; otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 30th day of November, 1948. RAYMOND DYER, 340 14th St. S.E. Attest: (Seal.) THEODORE COGSWELL, Register of Wills for the District of Columbia, Clerk of the Probate Court. Dec.9,16,23.

STOHLMAN AND CASSIDY, Attorneys Union Trust Building

DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the District of Columbia, holding Probate Court. No. 70653. Administration. This is to give notice that the subscriber of the District of Columbia has obtained from the Probate Court of the District of Columbia, Letters of Administration, C. T. A. on the estate of Nettie Brunson Harris, sometimes known as Ned Brunson Harris, late of the District of Columbia, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 17TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, A. D. 1949; otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under its hand this 29th day of November, 1948. Union Trust Company of the District of Columbia. By: MELVILL W. STUART, Assistant Trust Officer. Attest: (Seal.) THEODORE

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COOK-G. H. W.—Excel., 10 a. m. 'til after dinner; family of 3 adults; no laundry; references required. $25 wk. WI. 5751.

MAID-G.H.W., experienced with children; must live in. RE. 3888.

MAID—Neat, dependable; g. h. w.; food of children; 9 a. m. through dinner; 5½ days; recent references. TA. 0862. 1413 Kalmia rd. nw.

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Situations, Men 19

COMMUNICATION expert with 15 years experience in communication administration and operations. Completely familiar with international tariffs. Qualified to organize and operate a communications section. Reply Box 274, Wash. Post.

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Situations, Women 20

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COL. GIRL wants work or chambermaid or mother's helper. VI. 2174.

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ON DIAMONDS, watches, jewelry, silverware and miscellaneous articles. LOUIS ABRAHAMS, 3225 Rhode Island ave. ne.

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BRIARCLIFF, nr. Spring Valley. Master bedroom, twin beds, pvt. bath; gentlemen; $70. EM. 7871 after 6:30 p.m.

CATHEDRAL AVE., nr. Conn. & Wardman.—Lovely large room, semipriv. bath; for gentleman; pvt. home. CO. 5486.

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CONN. AVE., 1836—Gentleman will share lge. 1st-fl. front double rm. with desirable gentleman. DU. 9455.

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D ST. N.E., 1244—Nicely furn. sgle. adj. porch; on car line; reas. TR. 4960.

DUPONT CIRCLE, 1736 R st. nw.—Twin beds, adj. bath; phone, laundry privs. EYE ST. N.W., 1723—warm sgle. and dble rooms; elevator service.

E ST. NE., 201
2 rooms, partly furn., $7 wk. es.

F ST. NW., 1825, Apt. 1—Educated young gentleman of moderate habits to share twin bedrm., $8 wk. es.

G ST. NW., 1825, Hotel Howard, vic. White House—Sgle., $2 day, $10 wk.; dble., $4 day, $14 wk.; triple, $17.50 wk.; run the rm. ph., sh'rs. RE. 5322.

IRVING ST. N.W., 1828—Large dble. rm. next bath; sgl., $40; dbl., $45. DE. 9256

KILBOURNE PL. NW., 1616—Lge. frt. rm., newly dec. and furn.; adj. bath; no other roomers; gentleman. AD. 5158.

MADISON ST. NW., 321—Dble. rm. for couple; next bath; unl. ph.; laundry priv.; $40; conv. trans. GE. 6341.

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NICELY FURN. dble. rm. for empl. couple., mother and school-age child or town. AD. 3264.

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COLORED—1822 T ST. N.W.—Large double room, twin beds; privileges; couple. MI. 4191.

COLORED, Luray pl. nw., 439—Couple, large double rm., $6 es.; cooking priv. GE. 1421.

COLORED—Front rm., twin beds; nearby N.E. sec.; conv. location; home privileges; for employed single adults; prefer girls. AT. 1085 after 6 p. m.

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Housekeeping Suites 37

BLADENSBURG RD. N.E., 1900—Lge. front rm. for couple, 2 or sgle.; l.h.k.; pvt. home; good transp. FR. 4431.

MASS. AVE. N.W., 951—Extra large room, running water, refrig.; 2nd floor front; newly dec.

NEW HAMPSHIRE AVE. NW., 941—Lge. l.h.k. rm.; 2 empl. girls. ST. 4183.

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5813 37TH ST. NW.—Master bedroom, newly furn., radio, next bath, linens, share new kit., laundry priv. Quiet location. Express bus at door, 20 min. downtown. Married couple or 2 girls. GE. 7868.

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REG. practical nurse will board and care for an elderly or partially handicapped gentleman; convenient, select neighborhood. OT. 8666.

VACANCY
in nursing home; 24-hr. nursing care; licensed by county & State. SH. 6040.

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CHAPEL OAKS, MD., 1107 54th ave.—2 rooms, kitchen, semiprivate bath. HI. 7912.

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BETHESDA—Studio apt., kit. & grill; $50 mo. 9310 Old Georgetown rd.

CHEVY CHASE—4 rms., bath, bsmt. gar.; completely and elegantly furn.; for 3 mos.; $150 mo.; no children. EM. 6319.

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SW. SECTION—One room, kitchen and semiprivate bath, sober working couple. DI. 5362.

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D ST. SE., 1700—Three rooms and semi-bath for quiet employed couple or ladies, nonsmoking pref.; $65. Apply 9-4.

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Available Immediately

2-room and bath apartment, $250 month; 1 room and bath; all furnished, with full hotel service. Call Chas. L. Hutchinson, general manager, HOTEL 2400, CO. 7200.

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WILL SUBLET 3 mos., clean, completely furn. 1 bedrm., liv.-rm., kitchenette and bath apt. immediately. Rent, in advance, $215. MI. 7211.

Apts., Houses to Share 46A

ALEXANDRIA—3 girls to share with another girl 4-bedroom house; $40 each. EX. 4120, Ext. 2267. Mrs. Pearson, or DE. 6729 after 6 p. m.

APT. to share with woman. Pvt. bedrm. Res. Off 16th st. nw. NO. 9083, eves.

BACHELOR, military officer, or Govt. employe to share 2-bedroom apt. NW. Share; $45 mo. RA. 1466 after 6 p. m.

SHARE priv. home, Falls Church; 1 or 2 empl. adults; $16 wk. es.; 2 in rm., $18 wk. 1; incl. excel. meals. FA. 2712.

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COLORED—Dble. bedroom and sitting room, share kit. and bath with owner, individual elec. refrig.; use of washing machine; empl. couple. AT. 6412 after 6.

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BEAUTIFUL NEW

3-room and bath apartment in new 2-family house available immed.; 24-ft. living room, nice bedroom, beautiful tile bath with built-in tub and shower, modern kitchen with stove, refrigerator; gas air-conditioned heat; large daylight basement, laundry trays. Rent $85 month, plus utilities; adults only. See Mr. Power at sample house, 100 Varnum st. ne.

Apartments, Unfurnished 47

CHATHAM APTS.—To rent, available March 1, located in new development on New Hampshire and University lane in Prince Georges County, Md. Apply rental office, 2105 Belvedere dr., Silver Spring, Md. SLigo 7394.

Cooperative Apts. Sale 47A

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Due to Army officer being transferred we have for sale very desirable 1-bedroom, living room, tiled bath, fully equipped kitchen, cooperative apartment; low down payment, monthly payments less than rent. For further information call Mr. Michael Styles or Mr. Edward E. Fenlon, RE. 7985; eves., OX. 4397.

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Apartments Wanted 48

AIR FORCE OFFICER and father; 1 or 2 bedrm. apt. or hse., furn., Conn. ave., 16th st. or Chevy Chase Circle section. WO. 2450.

APT., 2 bedrms., unfurn.; D. C., not too far out; 2 adults, perm. Govt. employes, daughter high-school age. AT. 7997 eves.

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OL. 3336

BETHESDA
Near Naval Hospital; 6-room 1¼-bath 7-year-old Colonial brick; large corner lot; owner says MUST sell. NORTH-WEST REALTY, till 9 p. m., OL. 6867.

BETHESDA
Two brand new 6-rm., 2½-bath bricks, ...garage; porch; $24,500; Edge of Green-wich Forest. For details call NORTH-WEST REALTY, OL. 6867, 'til 9 p. m.

BETHESDA, MD.
New brick Colonial, under $20,000. Close convenient location in an established neighborhood; 6 rooms, 1½ baths, attached garage, gas heat; best material throughout. Open this afternoon 2 p. m. till dark, or call DI. 1015 till 9 p. m. To reach: Out Wisconsin ave., turn left on Bradley blvd. approximately ½ mile to Glenbrook rd., left again 1 block to "open" sign.
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BETHESDA
Wilson Lane; 2 acres beautiful land; 4-bedroom house; newly decorated; 2-car garage; price $32,500.
EUGENE B. GINGELL
7349 Georgetown Rd., WI. 2022, if no answer, WI. 1690.

BETHESDA, $14,750
$3500 cash required to buy this newly reconditioned brick bungalow, near Suburban Hospital. Owner will take back remainder in 1 trust. Has large living room with fireplace, dining room, kitchen, full tile bath and 2 twin sized bedrooms; other features include stairs to attic, new oil burner, basement with outside entrance and laundry trays, detached garage and large level lot. Vacant. For inspection call OL. 1064 until 9 p. m.
SYDNEY KARR, REALTOR

MARYLAND
BETHESDA—$16,750
PROMPT POSSESSION
Beautiful white brick with 6 rooms, tile bath, recreation room, automatic heat; in excellent condition; close to all schools; sidewalks.
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BETHESDA
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This is your opportunity to purchase a Colonial home with generous proportions in Edgemoor, a large reception hall, living room with bay window, 16-ft. dining room with corner cabinet, fully equipped kitchen, 3 delightful bedrooms and 2 tile baths, plus a full bath in the basement. 1 block from transportation and shopping. Priced under $20,000.
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Open Eves. Till 8 P. M.

BETHESDA—$18,500
1st Floor Bedrm. & Bath
This modern prewar brick detached home is for the buyer who demands convenience in living arrangements; 1st floor consists of living room with mirrored fireplace, dining room, fully equipped kitchen, bedroom, bath and den; 2d floor has 2 bedrooms and bath; all rooms have been redecorated in excellent taste, also new Venetian blinds and new light fixtures; attached garage, slate roof; quick possession. A stone's throw to bus stop.
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BETHESDA
$13,250—all on one floor, 5 rooms and bath, brick construction; gas a.-c. h.
SILVER SPRING
$14,750—Detached brick, 5 rooms and bath, 1st floor lavatory; lot 70x125. $15,250
A nice bungalow, 5 large rooms and bath; oil h.-w. h.; with a 1st trust payable $52 per mo.
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BETHESDA BUNGALOW
$4000 cash and $90 mo. will get you an attractive brick bungalow with slate roof, close to Bethesda shopping area; contains living room with fireplace, dining room, 2 large bedrooms, complete kitchen, Hollywood bath, stairs to large finished attic, basement, oil heat and garage. Please phone OL. 1064 until 9 p. m.
SYDNEY KARR, REALTOR

BETHESDA
$16,950: a beautiful bungalow with 2 bedrooms and bath plus a large glassed-in heated sun room, 10x16; beautiful recreation room for details call NORTH-WEST REALTY, OL. 6867 'til 9 p. m.

BETHESDA
Veteran-approved new detached brick, 6 rooms (3 bedrooms), tile bath, porch, 1st-floor lavatory, attic, automatic heat; nice lot. To inspect call Mr. White, with
Wm. M. Throckmorton
Realtor. DI. 6092.*

BRADMOOR—$16,500
An outstanding value in this popular Bethesda (Md.) community, close to public schools and transportation; center entrance Colonial detached brick, 6 rooms and bath, porch, air-conditioned gas heat, electric refrigerator and an attached garage. This home is at least $1,000 under similar property in this area. See it today. Phone Mr. Brill, WI. 3535, with
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$17,500. This detached English-type home containing 6 very spacious rooms is situated on a splendid lot in one of the better residential sections. It has oil h.-w. heat, large screened porch, storage attic, garage and numerous other desirable features; close to schools, churches, transp. and shopping. Call WO. 7143 until 9 p. m.
J. Wesley Buchanan, Realtor

CHEVY CHASE, MD.
In Beautiful Beachwood
An appealing brick home in excellent condition, with an unusual floor plan: 4 bedrooms (3 twin-size), 2 baths on 2nd floor; maid's room, breakfast room, rear living porch and detached garage; convenient to all schools and Conn. ave. bus; moderately priced at $28,950.
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WO. 2300 Until 9 P. M.

EAST RIVERDALE
XMAS IN EAST PINES
If you act quickly on this lovely 2-story, 3-bedroom vacant home. Only $2734 down and assume 4% loan of $8000 payable $62.02 monthly.
ALSO A CAPE COD
With possession after New Year. 2 bedrooms, expansion attic, etc.; only $1800 down and assume 4% loan of $8700 payable $47.52 monthly. CALL NOW for appointment to inspect.
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$12,950
NEAR WESTERN AVE. & RIVER RD.
Excellent 2-bedroom, 2-story detached brick, on nice-sized lot. This home is in excellent condition. Yard fenced in; Venetian blinds; storm windows and gas heat. A real value.
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EM. 1290 until 9 p. m.

GREEN ACRES
Lovely 3-bedroom home in a convenient, desirable restricted area. Screened porch; full basement with toilet, gas heat; slate roof, storm windows, exceptionally fine condition. Early possession.
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Available for Immediate Occupancy
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SILVER SPRING
New Colonial brick, center-entrance living room, 12x21 with fireplace, dining room, modern equipped kitchen, 3 well-proportioned bedrooms and tile bath up; stairway to attic full basement, gas heat. Lot 64x110. Price $15,750.
WOODMOOR
Picturesque brick bungalow on beautifully landscaped ¼-acre lot. Living room with fireplace, dining room, modern equipped kitchen, 2 twin-sized bedrooms and tile bath on 1st floor. Finished attic, full basement, and large storage closets on 2d floor. Gas a.-c. heat; screened porch, stone patio. Must be seen to be appreciated. Price $23,500.
Wood-Conley Co., Realtors
5710 Ga. Ave., Silver Spring
SLIGO 5700

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MARYLAND
SILVER SPRING AREA
5-acre farmette, 8 miles out; 3 bedrooms, 1½ baths; young orchard. Substantial down payment.
LOVELY 6-ROOM BRICK
feature 3 twin-size bedrooms; built-in garage, fenced yard.
WORTHINGTON REALTY
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Silver Spring—$11,250
Very attractive white brick bungalow, 5 nice rooms, tile bath, excellent closets; half block from bus; on nice lot.
DURANT-HILLAND
EM. 6600 Eves., SH. 6320.

SILVER SPRING
Lovely 2-story Colonial brick home only 2 yrs. old; 1st floor, living rm. with fireplace, dining rm., modern kitchen, side porch; 2d floor, 3 bedrooms and beautiful tile bath; full basement, ½ bath, gas a.-c. heat; lot 50x150. $9000 1st mortgage with interest at 4%; $3000 cash down payment. Total price, $13,950. Morrison Agency, SH. 3444.

SILVER SPRING—BY OWNER
5-rm. new bungalow and garage. SH. 3527.

SILVER SPRING
Prewar brick home, 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, living room with fireplace, dining room, equipped kitchen; 2 bedrooms and bath 1st floor; 2 bedrooms and bath 2d floor; full basement with outlet, oil a.-c. heat; close to schools and shopping. The best buy on today's market. For information, call
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Immaculate 5 room bungalow, with built-in garage, oil heat; 2 nice bedrooms, tiled bath; partially finished recreation room; 1 large front porch overlooking park. Located only 2 blocks from Washington Sanitarium. Unusual buy at $13,500.
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facing University ave. (now Queen's Chapel rd.)—Lovely bungalow on corner lot, close to transportation and stores; living room and fireplace, large dining room, well-equipped kitchen, 3 bedrooms and tile bath; large basement, fully arranged for comfortable living or renting, with lavatory, shower, Laundermatic refrigerator gas range, outside entrance, attached garage. Shown by appointment only. Call JE. 6630, 7 to 9.
COLONIAL INVESTMENT

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An attractive white brick home, 2 bedrooms, 2 baths, living room with fireplace; large lot. $23,500. Call Mrs. Thursten, EM. 4810.
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New brick Colonial, located in the nicest section of Silver Spring; 20-ft. living room with fireplace, dining room, equipped kitchen; 3 bedrooms, large side porch, built-in garage; an exceptionally nice home at a very low price.
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Cheverly Manor; $11,600. Excellent condition; 5 rooms and bath on 1st floor; stairway to floored and fully-insulated expansion attic. Full basement with outside entrance; gas heat; large level lot; 1-block to bus; small cash required; low monthly payments. Call DI. 1015 till 9 p. m.
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$1,000 CASH, $79 MO.
Buys 2-bedroom, living room, modern kitchen, dinette, bath; bungalow. Oak flooring, large porch, lot 60x175; shops distance from Silver Spring shopping center. SL. 7375.
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7120 Mass. Ave. N.W. Ext.
NEW—MOVE RIGHT IN. 7 rooms, 2 baths (1st-floor bedroom); gas a.-c. heat. Garage. Convenient, desirable location; 5 min. from 49th st. shopping center. Best buy, $23,500; terms. Real opportunity.
Open 10 to 5 P. M.
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BEAUTIFUL BUNGALOW
ONLY $10,500
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QUEENS CHAPEL MANOR
Five rooms and bath, in excellent condition; oil air-conditioned heat; oil burner; storage attic. For further details call
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2-bedroom bungalow situated on large wooded lot in quiet suburban neighborhood, see, living rm., 2 bedrms., bath, gas h.-a., equipped kit. OL. MURDOCK, PL. 1105.

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3 bedrooms, 30' recreation room, large kitchen, full basement with outside entrance and lavatory. Large 4% trust.
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BEAUTIFUL BUNGALOW
TAKOMA PARK
An unusually desirable brick bungalow, located near all conveniences; quality built 6 yrs. ago, in immaculate condition; large living room, dining room, 2 lovely bedrooms, tiled bath, an oversized ultramodern kitchen, all on one floor; maid's room and additional bath in full basement, gas a.-c. heat, beautiful landscaped lot. An exceptionally fine property, and priced far below the market, under $14,000. Vacant, quick possession assured. Call NA. 9797 for details.
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Drastically reduced to $16,800; 7 rooms, including paneled den, 1 full tiled bath on 2nd floor, ½ tiled bath on 1st floor; spacious living room, large dining room, hall through to very large de luxe kitchen, breakfast room combination; full basement, porch; excellent close-in Silver Spring location. Act promptly on this unusual bargain.
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SLigo 3010

MAKE AN OFFER
New brick bungalow, in convenient section of Kensington, with 2 bedrooms, full basement, expandable attic. Owner desires sale this week and will consider reasonable offer. Call for inspection.
ELLIS BROS., INC.
Daily and Evenings, FL. 0377.

Beautiful New 3-Bedrm.
Brick home in heart of Silver Spring. Powder room, 1st floor; full bath; 2nd floor; knotty pine; patio; sun deck; fireplace, large closets. Excellent buy with large 1st trust. SL. 7375.
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Charming new brick home, adjoining Rock Creek Park, 3 blocks from bus; featuring English basement with finished 30x12 room, fireplace and kitchen in ground-level basement; large living room, dining area, ½ bath and kitchen on main floor; 3 bedrooms and bath on upper floor. Price $19,950, rent $175 per month, to be credited toward purchase price. Murdock Real Estate, PL. 1105.

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If you have a large family and desire ample room this attractive older home will appeal to you; 4 bedrooms, 2½ baths, plastered attic, full basement, auto. heat; large porch; completely modernized about a year ago.
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Exclusive with
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MARYLAND
VETERANS, ATTENTION
New brick bungalows, ready to move into; $10,650, $650 cash, balance on $10,000 GI 4% loan, payable $60.60 plus taxes; 5 rooms, basement, stairs to attic; gas heat; stove and refrigerator.
ROBERT S. DAVIS & CO.
Call WA. 3900 Till 9 P. M.

VIC. OF AMERICAN U. PK.
Just over the line in Md., this modern 3-bedrm. home is in a restricted and very pleasant area; 1st fl., liv. rm. with fireplace, din. rm., fully equipped kit.; 2d fl., 3 bedrms. and tiled bath with shower; lot fenced and nicely landscaped; full basement has very attrac. rec. rm. and half bath, gas a.-c. heat; $17,500.
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2½-Bdrm. & Den, Cape Cod
An unusual buy in exc. location. Close to bus and shopping. Don't fail to see this attractive Cape Cod bung., lge. living rm., fireplace, den, bedrm., bath and kit. on 1st floor; 1 lge. and ½ bedrms., 2nd floor. Full basement; lge. fenced lot. $11,950. O. L. MURDOCK, PL. 1105.

VIRGINIA
ALEXANDRIA
Restored clapboard home in old section of town. Living room with fireplace, library, dining room, kitchen, lavatory, 3 bedrooms, one bath; oil heat; 2d floor, 2 master size bedrooms and bath; basement recreation room finished and knotty pine with bar, full bath, laundry room, gas hot-water heat. Lot 100x200.
Helen R. Marshall, AL. 3801

ALEXANDRIA—Bungalow, $1000 down, pay $40 per month; 10 minutes out; 2 bedrooms, 2 acres of ground; fenced in; non ave., Alex. Open eves. 'til 9.
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ALEXANDRIA SPECIAL
Stone row house; 3 spacious rooms; tiled bath, full basement; low down payment and low monthly—of $62.71 per month including everything.
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2202 MOUNT VERNON AVE.
OV. 1946. OV. 8349.

ALEXANDRIA—2 story brick; $1500 down; 3 rooms, 2 bedrooms; full basement, hardwood floors. OV. 3900; J. T. Moton, 2415 Mt. Vernon Ave., Alex. Open eves. 'til 9.

ALEXANDRIA—Bungalow, $1200 down; 15 minutes out; 2 bedrooms, dining room, kitchen, living room; 3 acres lot. OV. 3900; J. T. Moton, 2415 Mt. Vernon Ave., Alex. Open eves. 'til 9.

ARLINGTON BRICK BUNGALOW
$2300 down; $11,500; 6 rooms (3 bedrooms) hardwood floors, equipped kitchen, auto.-oil heat. OV. 3900. J. T. Moton, 2415 Mt. Vernon ave., Alex. Open eves. 'til 9.

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Six-room bungalow. An exceptionally well-built home on a level lot, close to Lee blvd. and Glebe rd.; living room with fireplace, dining room, kitchen, 2 bedrooms and baths, enclosed attic room; full basement; oil heat. Priced at $11,950.
MANNAS REALTY CO.
2116 Wilson Blvd.
GL. 2784. OX. 2784.

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Wilson Blvd. & N. Illinois
NEW BRICK CAPE COD
1ST-FLOOR BEDROOM AND BATH
See one of the best values being offered in North Arlington in a 6-room brick home, with all the trimmings, including restricted environment of individually designed homes. Also 3 other types to choose from, priced from $17,300 on reasonable terms. You can make deposit and move right in, so drive out today.
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BEVERLEY HILLS
Overlooking the Potomac River and city with all the old colonial charm plus a modernistic English floor plan; 3 master bedrooms with twin closets and 2 tiled baths; center hall gracious living room with picture windows to increase view of river, side screened porch, outstanding dining room with fireplace, butler's pantry, equipped kitchen, additional lavatory and utility space, brick patio, one-car garage. Shown by appointment only.
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It is with pleasure we offer this lovely colonial home in a well known section of N. Arlington. Living room with fireplace, dining room and tiled kitchen upstairs; full basement, and tile bath; perfect condition and corner lot. Priced at $13,750 with wonderful terms.
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2-bedroom Colonial home, containing large living room, dining room, electrically-equipped kitchen, full basement; very conveniently located. Price only $11,950. To inspect call
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Four of the choicest lots in Buffalo Hills subdivision, with magnificent view; 400-ft. elevation. $3500 each or special price for the four. Total area approximately 2 acres.
Eastman & Seay
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New 4-bedroom brick and frame Cape Cod, 1½ baths, full basement, large lot; small down payments; full price, $13,800.
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NORTH ARLINGTON—Attractive new brick bungalow, center-hall plan, with 2 bedrooms and expansion attic, large living room with fireplace, beautifully equipped kitchen, includes garbage disposal and exhaust fan; full basement, with outside entrance. Price, $16,750, with good financing terms.
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Brick Cape Cod, has living room with fireplace, dining room, fully equipped kitchen, bedroom and tile bath on 1st floor; 2 bedrooms and tile bath on 2d floor; gas a.-c. heat; full basement with outside entrance; nice corner lot. Quick possession. A good terms.
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Phone OX. 0217 or GL. 1878.

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NORTH ARLINGTON—6-room Cape Cod with 3 bedrooms and 2 baths, large living room with fireplace, equipped kitchen, full basement, hot-water heat, detached garage; large lot. Price, $14,950.
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NORTH ARLINGTON
2-bedroom all-brick Colonial home, situated on large corner lot, convenient to transportation, shopping and schools. Priced only $12,956. To see this exceptional buy call
YEONAS REALTY
GL. 2100. OX. 1243.

North Arlington, $11,600
5-room brick bungalow, living room, dining room, kitchen, 2 bedrooms and bath, full basement; oil heat; on large lot; 1½ blocks to bus and shopping.
MANNAS REALTY CO.
2116 Wilson Blvd.
GL. 2784. OX. 2784.

OAKCREST
Duplex brick home; immac. cond.; liv. rm.; din. rm.; equip. kit.; 2 bedrms. and bath on 2nd fl.; rec. rm. in basement; oil heat; 1st trust of $6000 at 4%; $2500 cash required. Poss. with title. Shown by appt. Exclusively.
N. C. GROVES, OW. 5299

SOUTH ARLINGTON
A Colonial brick home, has living room, dining room, kitchen, 2 bedrooms, bath, full basement, oil a.-c. heat; nice lot; 10 minutes to the Pentagon Bldg. Small cash payment will handle. Quick possession.
SEWELL REALTY CO.
14 S. Glebe Rd. at Lee Blvd.
Phone OX. 0217 or GL. 1878.

TREASURE ISLAND
Precision jewel in construction. Brick Colonial style; 3 bedrooms, combination living and dinette 28 ft. long, large heat; located near all conveniences.
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VIRGINIA
N. ARLINGTON
In these days of unsound prices my price is right. I'm old but contain a lot of living space; my condition is not as good as you would have me, but I am basically sound. In all I contain 7 nice rooms and bath; full basement, coal stoker heat. Priced at $13,500. Reasonable terms. For appointment to see call OX. 0197.
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POTENTIALLY 7 ROOMS
Delightfully decorated 6-room brick, featuring a 12x25 club room on 1st floor; which can be converted into two 12x12 1st-floor bedrooms with separate outside entrances, finished recreation room and toilet facilities in basement. Priced for quick sale. Call
LURIA BROS.
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CHRISTMAS SPECIALS
5-Room Brick
Gas heat; $14,400; down payment, $3,400; $78 per month. You can move in tomorrow.

6-Room Brick
Gas heat, 1½ baths; GI; $13,-950, $3,000 down. If you don't have the full down payment—see us first.

6-Room Brick
Oil heat, range and refrigerator; $19,250. Pay $3,500 down and take over.

5-Room Brick
and first-floor den; $15,500; $3,500 down. Occupancy January 1.

7-Room Brick
2-car gar.; $32,500. A beauty, will be finished about January 1.

6-Room Brick
1½ baths; on ¼ acre of ground; Falls Church; $20,000; $4,000 down, balance in one trust. Vacant.

5-Room Brick
Cape Cod. Built-in garage and porch; $16,300; $3,500 down, balance in one trust.

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Evenings, FA. 6013

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"MANY OTHER BARGAINS"
R. C. PRINTZ
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has already been built for you. The most modern home on today's market. 3 bedrooms, excellent bath, large living room with fireplace, excellent large equipped kitchen including Hendix washer. Quantities of picture windows, as much charm as the newest in Southern California. Large ½-acre lots. All for the total price of $13,750.
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CUTE AS A BUG'S EAR
See this charming, vacant, immaculate brick bungalow. 3 delightfully bright well-arranged rooms on 1st floor; unfinished 2nd-floor space for 2 additional rooms; full basement, gas heat; only $1,500 down and low monthly payments.
Real Estate Service, Inc.
OW. 9090. Lee Hwy. at Glebe Rd.

$10,750
Brick, 5 rooms, basement and den, equipped kitchen; fine close-in location; semidetached; $2,000 down.
J. FULLER GROOM REALTY, OX. 4487
Eves. OW. 4483, GL. 2347; GL. 6737.

Excellent N. Arl. Location
2-story brick; 3 bedrooms, 2 baths 2d floor; living room with fireplace, dining room, equipped kitchen with breakfast table space; large screened porch; pine panelled recreation room and full bath in basement; detached garage. Immediate possession.
EXCLUSIVE WITH
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CH. 2073. GL. 3606.

2 BLOCKS PERSHING DR.
This home of older type needs about everything but has wonderful possibilities; h.-w. heat (oil), 5 bedrms., 2 baths; lot 80x140; excellent location. Must sell to settle an estate. L. McGEE
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Fully furnished, including silverware and linens, new gas stove and Frigidaire. No. 1 house has 2 bedrooms, bath, living room and kitchen. No. 2 house has 1 bedroom, kitchen, living room, bath, circulating heat; all modern improvements; large lot 80x290. Close to transportation and schools. Down payment $3600; monthly payments can run under $32 a month.
AL BAKER & SON, INC.
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TE. 7343. Open 9 to 9. AL. 6644.

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DIAMOND ENGAGEMENT RING and wedding band, fishtail design, very reasonable. TR. 2498.

DRESS—Brand new black crepe; size 14, never worn; $30, cost $60. OW 8975 after 5 p. m.

ELECTRIC RANGE—36-inch Hotpoint; good condition, reasonable. WA. 1031.

ELECTRIC TRAIN, LIONEL O. O. 2-RAIL FREIGHT. $40. MI. 7904.

ELECTRIC TRAIN SETS, $8.93; selling in department stores for $12.95. Standard Home Appliance Co., CO. 8755

ELECTRIC STOVE, de luxe model, Westinghouse, 3-burner and deep well cooker; used 5 months; perfect condition. OW. 2367.

ELECTRIC TRAINS, 2 complete O-27 gauge, remote control switches, bascule bridge and other accessories; excellent condition; $40. FA. 5280.

ELECTRIC TRAINS—Lionel (2), good cond.; Irish mail; nearly new, HO. 3043.

ELECTRIC RANGE—Westinghouse; apt. size; excellent condition. $50. OT. 8584.

ELECTRIC TRAIN SET—Lionel, O-gauge with accessories mounted on plywood with picket fence; $30. RA. 4995

ENCYCLOPEDIA AMERICANA, latest edition; exc. cond. Reas. GL. 6712.

ENCYCLOPEDIA, Americana, 1947, 30 volumes, new; sac. $Llgo 8033 after 6.

ENLARGER—Argus model EAE, for 35 mm. film; plus a 35 mm. Argus camera; all for $25; no dealers. GL. 2420.

FRENCH DOORS, 1 pair, hardware incl., ready to hang. TR. 1396.

FUR CHRISTMAS SALE
Persian paw coats, $150; Northern muskrat, $250 up; mouton lamb, $195; Chinese kidskins, $135 up; silver fox jackets, $1130; platina fox, $300; marmink; $200; others at great savings. Repairs, restyling. MICHAEL'S FURS, 1829 K st. nw. Open evenings to 8.

FUR CAPE, mink-dyed squirrel, fine quality, practically new. CO. 9123.

FUR COAT, genuine seal, brown, size 12, good condition, $75. CH. 1766.

FUR COAT, mink-dyed muskrat, good condition, size 14-16, $80. PL. 0129

FUR COAT, mink-dyed muskrat, ¾ length, 14-16; bargain. SH. 5326.

FUR COAT, brown baby Hudson seal, custom-made in Sweden, size 14, $225. Phone OR. 3451; weekdays, NO. 1647.

FUR COAT, grey, Persian lamb, size 16. TW. 1311.

FUR COAT, gray Persian paw, size 16, new. GL. 4363.

FUR COAT, black Persian paw (20), excel. cond.; $150. DU. 9096 from 12-6.

FUR COAT, gray, Persian lamb, size 16, $125. TW. 1331.

FUR COAT, seal-dyed Coney, perfect cond., 6130; size 42, too large for me; worn once. NA. 3120. Ext. 1019.

FUR COAT, natural grey Persian lamb, 14-16; $200. Excel. cond. CO. 3384.

FUR COAT, genuine Eastern mink, full length, perfect condition, $300, size 14-16; and 1 short sable-dyed squirrel jacket, size 14-16. Call after 5:30, 477 pl.

FUR COAT, natural Hollander muskrat, size 10, excellent condition; sacrifice, $150. HU. 9531, after 5:30.

FUR COAT, black Hudson seal; muff to match; excellent condition; 12-14; reasonable. GL. 6308.

FUR JACKET—Red fox, size 16, very good cond., $35. GL. 8029.

FUR JACKET, Persian paw, $50; 8-skin Kolinsky scarf, $35. OW. 0613.

FUR SCARF—Red fox, excellent condition, $20. TE. 7622.

FURS, twin silver fox neckpiece, excellent cond. CO. 1974.

FURS—Cold weather in July is bad for bathing suits; warm weather in December did us no good. Overstock forces me to make the most sensational reductions on every fine fur coat, fur scarf and cape in stock. Sunday is going to be clearance and a day to be remembered at Baskin. For example, fine moutons, formerly priced at $195, will go for $88; Hollander blended northern musk rats, originally $499, will be sold at $288; and all the way down the line. Anything in the line of furs will be sold this Sunday at actually less than wholesale cost. Every fur piece in stock is of 1948-49 styling; we are not attempting to sell outmoded garments. Store open from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Baskin Furs, corner 8th and G sts. nw.

FURNACE, Coleman floor; like new, $93. KLOMP AIR SYSTEMS, VI. 5800.

FURNACE—Ideal Arco Hot Water; good condition, $25. WA. 7967.

FURN.—Liquor cabinet, mahog., fully equipped; glasses, racks; $50. WO. 2721.

FURNITURE—Walnut veneer dresser, dressing table, chest, inner spring mattress, springs; Reas. $Llgo 5123.

FURN.—Overstuffed divan and chair, $100; Wilcox Gay console, $190; 4-piece bedroom suite, $185; all in new cond. GL. 4400, Ext. 1105.

FURN.—4-poster mahogany single bed, $20; dark walnut 3-mirror dressing table, $20; double box spring, $5. Must be sold by Thursday. All good condition. LU. 2305.

FURNITURE—Maple desk with glass top, $20. TE. 7622.

FURNITURE—8 prs. andirons, $2-$3; 6 china cabinets, $8-$35; 2 desks, blond, $25-$35; 15 desks, $4-$28; 3 sofa beds, $25-$35; 28 platform rockers, new, $25 each; 1-pc. din. rm., jr. blond mahog., $165; 32 chests and dressers, $8-$18; 5 bed. cabinets, $5-$35. 18 7th st. ne. LI. 6989. Open 'til 9 p. m.

FURNITURE, including chairs, rocker, cot, feather beds, mattress, drapes, window shades, lace curtains, picture frames, glass and china dishes; also lady's dresses and coats. Exceptionally reasonable. TE. 2188.

Furniture Unclaimed

12-piece living rm. suite, $50; studio, $75; single Hollywood beds, $19.50 each; surplus feathered pillows, 39c each; blue brocatelle Regency sofa, $45; Kroehler davenport sofa, $65; antique love seat, velvet, $25; sofa-bed, $55; sofa, $25; club chair, $15; Lawson sofa, $80; chests of drawers, $14 up; wardrobe, $17; 4-piece mahogany bedroom set, $65; 5-piece dinette set, $30; Uniform rocker, $12.50.

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2433 18th St. N.W.
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FURN.—Georgian rose settee, $75; solid oak dble. bed, box springs, mattress, $25; broadloom rose Tuf. 9x12, $65; solid mahog. coffee table, $12. WI. 3827.

FURNITURE—4 complete rooms, in new condition; kitchen, dinette, living room and bedroom suites complete, all utensils, pot and pans. Price $400 complete. Rockville 3374.

FURN.—Compl. liv. rm., bedrm., dinette, prac. new; sac. NO. 6852 after 5 p. m.

FURN.—End tables, 3 fl. lamps, play pen; other misc. articles. AD. 3497.

FURNITURE—Jr. dining room suite of light oak, excel. cond., $225. HI. 8033.

FURN.—Pair mahog. table lamps, perf., $35; G. E. sweeper, $27.50. WI. 4192.

FURNITURE:

Hollywood beds, assorted carpets, drapes, blankets, pillows, bedspreads, mirrors, and lamps. Good condition, reasonably priced. Broadmoor Hotel, 3601 Conn. ave.

FURN.—Early American style bed; complete with spring and mattress; good cond. $25. AT. 0818.

FURN.—2 chairs, Gainsborough, lounge; double studio couch; good condition; no dealers. EM. 9458.

FURN., Simmons innerspg. sofa and occ. chairs, $75. ME. 1393 after 5.

GARAGE DOOR, 8 by 7, over head type. Call GL. 9170.

GAS RANGE, Magic Chef, flat top, 1st class cond., $50 or best offer. FA. 3285.

GAS RANGE, 4-burner, good condition; oven, broiler; $30. DU. 9018.

GAS RANGES, all sizes; credit and liberal trade-ins; reg. installation. Peerless Sales, 2237 Georgia ave. nw. DE. 5670.

GAS STOVE, Wincroft, 4-burner, auto. oven, nearly new. OL. 8121 after 6 p.m.

GAS RANGES, new and used, $19.50 up; credit and liberal trade-ins. ACME STOVE CO., 1011 7th st. nw. NA. 2952.

GAS STOVE, apt. size, $15; sink, $5; studio couch, fair cond, $10. OV. 0391.

GAS RANGE, Detroit Jewel, good condition, not table top, $30. GE. 8212.

GUITAR, tenor, and carrying case, $20. Large Philco table radio, $15. Both exc. cond. RA. 2778.

HEATER—Oil circulating heater; good condition. Hillside 4807.

HEATER, Warm Morning, extra large; pipe and automatic draft included. TR. 6854 between 7 and 9 p. m.

HEATER, coal, circulating; bathroom fixtures, kit. sink, small G.E. refrig., folding baby buggy. WI. 8107.

HEATERS, new and used; oil, gas, coal, wood, electric, kerosene. ACME STOVE CO., 1011 7th st. nw. NA. 2952.

GUITAR, Gibson, super 400, with trailer case; excellent condition. GL. 0304.

JEWELRY—Antique and modern, many "one of a kind;" we also do fine watch and jewelry repairing. RODIN JEWELS, 808 17th st. nw. RE. 7293.

KROEHLER DAVENPORT, green, reas. Good condition. GL. 7963.

LIVING-RM. SET, new (3-pc.), Kroehler, plastic leather. Cost $700, will sell less than ½. TA. 1858.

LOVE SEAT, excel. cond., down cushions, slipcovers; $45. MI. 4408 eves.

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MODEL AIRPLANE—Equipment and motors; complete shop; need cash. WI. 7182

MOVIE PROJECT, Ampro, 16-mm., sound or silent, new, $275. AL. 0885.

MOVIE PROJECTORS, 8 mm. and 16 mm., just reconditioned. Also watching machine, iron and dryer. OW. 9039.

OFFICE DESKS

Used from $19.50 up. Also chairs, tables, files, etc.
H. BAUM & SON, 616 E St. N.W.

OIL HEATER, Ivanhoe; 30,000 b. t. u. p.; with 3 tanks, boat, trailer; new, never used. $30. OT. 8384.

OPERA GLASSES, inlaid pearl (handle); cost $75, sell $35. ME. 7592.

OVERCOAT, man's, 35, black, heavy; owner 5 ft. 10 in.; best offer. TE. 6361.

PHONOGRAPH, electric, portable, Emerson; good condition; $25. OL. 4975.

PHONOGRAPH, electric portable phonola, good condition, $15. TE. 9035.

PIANOS, pre-Christmas sale. Save $100 to $300 on new spinet pianos. Every piano, a famous make and fully warranteed. Budget terms, liberal allowance for any musical instrument or radio. KITT'S, 1330 G st. nw.

PIANO—Baby grand, mahogany finish, 1st class condition, $500. SH. 1516.

PIANOS FOR RENT—Spinets, consoles, grands at special low rates. All money paid as rental applies on the purchase price if you decide to buy later (up to six months limit). Phone ST. 9400, JORDAN PIANO CO., corner of 13th and G sts. nw.

PIANO—For only $13.50 monthly, Kitt's will put a brand-new lovely piano in your home if you live in the District or nearby suburbs; nothing else to pay. These pianos are the latest model, full 88-note keyboard, mahogany-finished instruments with all-wood case, full iron plate and standard action; $13.50 monthly is all you have to pay. RA. 6212. KITT'S, 1330 G st. nw. (middle of block).

PIANO, Stieff upright, with Stieff reputation, unusually good cond.; excellent tone; $138. WI. 3392.

PIANOS FOR RENT—Brand-new spinets, $12 mo.; several fine baby grand pianos. First year's rental applied toward purchase. Colonial Piano Shop., 637 D st. nw., 2d floor. NA. 4870.

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PIANO—Full-sized mahogany grand, perfect condition, $700. ST. 4979.

PIANO, Chickering, square grand, rosewood; $200. TA. 7808.

PIANO, Kimball, apt. grand, like new, $850. RA. 8763.

RADIATOR, portable electric, practically new. DI. 2872.

PIANO—Upright Billings, mahogany, needs tuning, $35. LI. 6989.

RADIO and record player, RCA Victor, Model U-134, mahogany floor model, 16 tubes; cost $365, sell $75. Terms to reliable purchaser, or trade for tele. set; good cond.; fine tone. Superb Xmas gift. Reed, 1314 Randolph, nw. GE. 9247.

RADIOS-TELEVISION SETS—Clearing our stock; floor samples at tremendous discounts; television sets demonstrated free at your home. ROYAL APPLIANCE CO., 703 Kennedy st. nw. TA. 6900.

RADIO, Hallicrafter FX 28-A; $75, with matching speaker. OW. 7762.

RADIO, National N. C., 173 receiver, covers 540 kc. to 31 mc. plus 48-56 mc. $149, with speaker; without speaker, $144. Cash. NO. 4809. Can be seen between 3 and 7 p. m. at 63 W st. nw.

REFRIGERATOR, electric, 7 cu. ft., Philco, 1 year old. GE. 4360.

REFRIGERATOR—General Motors, 8 cu. ft., good cond. CH. 0326.

REFRIGERATOR, Cold Spot, 7.6 cu. ft., excellent cond., $75. LU. 1626.

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REFRIGERATOR, Frigidaire, good cond., fairly new, $75. DU. 9018.

REFRIGERATORS, used, recond., guaranteed; A-1; terms. J. C. Eggleston, 3700 Georgia ave. nw. TA. 4400.

REFRIGERATOR, gas, Servel (4 cu. ft.), gas range, Magic Chef, good cond., $125. Call at or write L. M. Holley, 38 53rd st. se., Capital View, D. C.

REFRIGERATOR, Cold Spot, 6 cu. ft., very good condition, $75. WI. 3827.

REFRIGERATOR, electric, "Ice-o-matic," $25; 5 cu. ft.; good cond. LU. 4962.

REFRIGERATORS

General Electric and Hotpoint latest models. From $216 up. Immediate delivery. A few floor samples at reduced prices. DAY BROS. ENGINEERING, 3616 14th st. nw. HO. 8300.

REFRIGERATOR, G. E., 6 cu. ft.; gas range; excel. cond.; both $70. EM. 4223.

REFRIGERATOR, Leonard, 7 cu. ft., perfect condition, 9 mos. old, used 4 mos. Cost $202, sacrifice $125. Call Apt. 301, 8629 Piney Branch rd., Takoma Park, Md., after 2 p. m.

REFRIGERATOR, Admiral, 9 cu. ft., 1 yr. old; unit has 5-yr. guarantee; excel. cond.; cost $302; bal. $175. TA. 7951.

ROWING REDUCING MACHINE, with illustrated exer., $8 Box 513, Wash. Post.

RUG—8x10 Axminster; good cond.; $16. TR. 1439.

RUG, 12x15, blue wool broadloom. Exc. cond. LI. 5090 after 6:30 wkdays.

RUG, Royal Bokhara, 8x10, perfect cond., semiantique, $550. TE. 9279.

RUGS—New Lillihand Oriental, 9x12, $295; 2 blue 9x12 and 9x15, clean, $35-$38; 2 light gray 9x13, $75, and 9x17, $85, with pads; 30-ft. runner, gray, $38; many others. Open 9 to 5:30, 7th st. nw. RE. 6969. Open 'til 9 p. m.

ST. JOHN'S OVERCOAT for tall boy; like new; $17. AD. 0926.

SAXOPHONE, alto, with case, Pan American; excel. cond.; $75. GE. 1966.

SAXAPHONE, alto, silver, Conn; looks like new; $85. CH. 7300, Ext. 585.

SEWING MACHINES — Singers sale or rent; immediate delivery. Sewing Machine Exchange, 2412 18th st. nw. CO. 3245.

SEWING MACHINES

Electric portables, $39.50 up; all guaranteed; easy terms. Complete sewing course with each machine. UN. 7300.

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SEWING MACHINES—Singers & others, portables ¾ size; we electrify, $13.95. Lowest prices in USA. We also sell machines, at our wholesale and retail store, 915 10th st. nw. EX. 6844.

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SEWING mach., new, Home port., brand-new, $125. HU. 3617 5:30-7:30 p. m.

SOFA-BED, new condition, $40. LU. 5772.

STERLING SILVER, flatware; Spring Glory pattern; 5-place settings, and odd pieces. Best offer over $100. GL. 2039.

STOVE, kerosene, large size, 3 burners, oven; good condition; $30. GE. 0048.

STOVES cooking, heating; new and used. Low prices. L. C. Furniture & Stove Co., 1339 H st. ne. TR. 1032.

STORM WINDOW screen frames, comb. (10), precision made; $5 ea. TE. 3260.

STUDIO COUCH—Good cond., black with mixed figure, $25. WA. 2368.

TELEVISION RADIO

By calling ST. 4439 we will guarantee savings of 15 per cent on nationally advertised television and 20 per cent on radios. Cash or terms.

TABLECLOTH—Beautiful large hand-crocheted tablecloth. Must see to appreciate. GL. 3369.

TRICYCLE, large, $5; Irish Mail, $7; mahogany tier table, $15; baby washer, $5. FA. 5280.

TRICYCLE, chain drive, 20-in. wheel, Colson; new cond.; best offer. NO. 0750.

TRICYCLES, small, good cond., $7 each. TE. 7652.

TRUNK, wardrobe; 4 drawer; good condition; $30. TW. 0839.

TUXEDO TAILS — Each 38 long; $20 each. OV. 0391.

TUXEDO, with shirt, size 38. Like new. $20. FA. 5119.

TUXEDO, size 37, perf. cond., $25; tux., sz. 36, slightly worn, $19. WI. 9279

TYPEWRITERS—$25 allowance for your old mach. on purchase of new portable. CENTRAL TYPEWRITER CO., 2019 14th St. N.W. MI. 4400.

TRICYCLE, Colson, largest size, excellent condition, $20. WI. 2435 after 5 p. m.

TRUMPET, Conn, model 8-22, $65, excellent condition. NO. 1733.

Sale Miscellaneous 78

TYPEWRITER, model 7, Remington noiseless portable; $60; cost $119 new. Ideal gift for Christmas. SH. 3798.

TYPEWRITER, Royal port., $45; English riding boots, size 10, $10. LU. 3180.

TYPEWRITER, Royal K. H. M., with stand, only $80. WO. 2721.

TYPEWRITERS, all makes, new, used. Priced reasonably. We rent, repair, trade, guaranteed service. Standard Typewriter Co., 910 G st. nw, NA. 3632.

VACUUM CLEANER—Eureka upright, like new; attachments; $25. WO. 8281.

VACUUM—Universal, with hand vacuum, good condition; $25. OT. 8584.

VACUUM CLEANERS, latest models General Electric and Universal; liberal allowance for your old cleaner. DAY BROS. ENGINEERING, 3616 14th st. nw. HO. 8300.

VACUUM CLEANER, Hoover, used 6 mos. Must sell. $50. FA. 8554.

VIOLIN ¾-size, bow and case; fine tone; excel. cond., $35. SH. 4063.

VIOLIN, old; has fine bow and case. Owner leaving city; $50 buys. 6645 Georgia ave., Apt. 206. GE. 8323.

WASHING MACHINES

Latest models, General Electric and Hotpoint; $119.95 to $369.95. A liberal allowance for your old machine. DAY BROS. ENGINEERING, 3616 14th St. N.W., HO. 8300.

WASHING MACHINE, completely automatic, Launderall, 1½ years old; $150. WI. 8699.

WASHING mach., Easy whirldry, apt. size, $45. OL. 4400, ext. 59.

WASHING MACHINE—Kenmore, with 2 rollaway tubs; A-1, $50. OT. 8584.

WASHING MACHINE—Kenmore, wringer type, good condition, $35. WI. 0738.

WASHER—Launderall; comp. automatic; can't tell from new, used 12 times; cost $300; sac. $215. $Llgo 2180 after 6.

WASHING machine, Thor auto-magic, 3 mos. old; cost $229.50, sell $190. $Llgo 6905.

WASHING MACHINE, Taylor Jr., apt. size, perf. cond., $23. WA. 5896.

WASHER, Bendix auto.; 7-ft. Kelvinator; like new; reasonable. WI. 0905.

WATER HEATER, elec., 2500 watt, 30 gal., extra heavy galvanized tank, used 18 mo., $80; also 20-gal. stand. tank, $12. WI. 2236.

WHEEL CHAIR, collapsible, tubular, $40; practically new. WO. 2089.

ZENITH RADIO, chairside model, walnut finish, short wave, automatic push-button; excellent condition; reasonable. WOODLEY 8484 AFTER 7 P. M.

Miscellaneous Wanted 79

ANYTHING AND EVERYTHING bought in household furnishings and furniture. Phone DI. 8236 or LI. 0823

AM INTERESTED in buying silverware, any condition, jewelry, bric-a-brac, china. DORA KRUPSAW MILESTONE, 1535 G St. N.W. ST. 7496.

ANTIQUE JEWELRY, silver, diamonds, dental gold, gold watches. We pay cash. SCHILLER'S, E st. at 9th st. nw.

CAMERA—Leica Contax or other 35-mm. type, with or without access., urgently wanted. RE. 2434, Mr. Weiss, 10-6 p.m.

FURNITURE WANTED AT ONCE—Better grade furniture and household effects. Will buy odd pieces or entire home. Please call Mr. Gray, NA. 2679. 918 New York ave. nw.

FURNITURE BOUGHT

All kinds. DE. 6666 or RA. 7922.

GOLD OR PLATINUM JEWELRY, silverware and gold teeth, any condition. We pay cash. A. KAHN, INC.
33 YEARS AT 935 F ST. N.W.

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Highest prices paid for newspapers, books, magazines, scrap iron and metal, house rags and auto batteries.
ACE JUNK CO.
2220 Georgia Ave. N.W. AD. 5437.

OLD SILVER—High prices paid for old and discarded silver, regardless of condition. LOUIS ABRAHAMS, 1310 13th nw

SEWING MACHINES

WE PAY MORE. UN. 7300.

SEWING MACHINES

Highest prices for all makes and styles of sewing machines. RE. 1900, RE. 2311.

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FIREWOOD, delivered; cord; slab mix, $14. Fireplace logs, $22. HY. 5300.

WOOD, stove and fireplace. Phone FA. 0496.

SEASONED fireplace wood, $20 cord. Call ME. 7519, Freddie.

XMAS offer, fireplace and stove wood, any length, $16.99 per cord; dumped only. S. & M. Contractors, Falls Church 8395, Fairfax 692WX.

Auto Painting 92

AUTO PAINTED, baked, factory finish, $39.50. Expert BODY, FENDER WORK. Low prices. 2015 L st. nw. ST. 2687.

Trucks, Sale 93

CHEVROLET—Late 1947 panel delivery; perfect condition; priced for quick sale. $1,093. AL. 1323. 728 N. Henry st., Alexandria.

JEEP—1948 ¼-ton panel delivery; less than 1000 miles; perfect condition. OV. 5700.

Trucks, Sale 93

PANEL TRUCKS

Chevrolet 1947 Sedan, delivery, $1145.
Chevrolet 1946 ½-ton panel, $995.
Ford 1947 Sedan delivery, $1045.
Dodge 1946 ¾-ton package delivery, $1145.
BARRY-PATE MOTOR CO., INC.
1130 Conn. Ave. RE. 7878.

Motorcycles 86

MOTORCYCLE—1946 Triumph speed twin, sport shield and buddy seat, $400. TA. 7832.

Automobile Loans 90

AUTO LOANS—Cars, trucks, taxis, up to $2300. Most reasonable rates.
ECONOMY FINANCE CO.
1430 Florida Ave. N.E. AT. 8484

Automobiles, Sale 96

AERO—1947 Black Sedan. Radio, heater, seat covers; sell immediately for cash, best offer. Phone HO. 3280, Ext. 509, after 5; all days Sat. and Sun.

AUSTIN—1948 Demonstrator. Low mileage. New-car guarantee and terms. $1395. JACK FRY (AUSTIN DEALER), Conn. ave. and S st. nw. 18th st. and Pennsylvania ave. se.

AUSTIN 1947

Four-door, Black; excellent car for town driving; $900 cash. WI. 9511.

AUSTIN—New "The All-Purpose Car," approved taxi use; leather upholstery, all-steel body; hydraulic brakes; 35 mi. per gallon, heater, defroster, directional signals. Delivered. Devon 4-dr., $1720; Dorset 2-dr., $1595. MANHATTAN AUTO & RADIO CO., both sides of 7th at B st. nw. Phone NO. 7337.

BUICK, '46 Super 4-door Sedan. Radio, heater, seat covers: 1300 miles; $1995. CH. 3584, Mr. Toone.

BUICK—1940 4-door special sedan; radio, heater; clean, good condition; $700. NA. 6311.

BUICK—1947 Roadmaster convertible, black; registered in 1948; radio, heater, white sidewall tires, seat covers; $2450; 12,000 miles. Fairfax 483-J-3.

BUICK—1941 Spec. Sedanette; excel. mech. cond.; heater; new seat covers; low mileage. $1,065. OW. 2361.

BUICK—1941 super "8" 4-door; has radio and heater, finished in light gray; excellent running engine; carries Logan's 30-day owner-rated guarantee; price, $945. VA. AVE. BRANCH, LOGAN (Ford), 2017 Virginia ave. nw. ME. 3968.

BUICK—1935 special 4-door. $350. BARNES-SANDERS MOTORS, 1300 14th st. nw. NO. 1111. Closed Sundays.

BUICK—1947 Roadmaster 4-door, by original owner; radio and heater; original seat covers, never worn. This is a beautiful 2-tone gray car in perfect condition. Will give thorough road test demonstration. Selling only to take delivery on new car. $2495. Call WA. 4243 from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m., or WA. 2621 after 6 p. m.

BUICK—1940 Special 4-door, body and motor excel. cond.; orig. owner. Very good; excel. paint and tires; $695. EX. 4160, ext. 2577 or EM. 7756.

BUICK—1948 Roadmaster 4-door sedan; beautiful 3-tone green, only 3 mos. old; $2,850. OW. 8218, 7-9 p. m.

BUICK—1940 special coupe; just the one you have been looking for, clean as a pin and the price is right; metallic blue paint like new, heater and seat covers, rust rubber, excellent mechanical condition; only $670, cash or terms. LOGAN (Ford), 1111 18th st. nw. DI. 5800.

BUICK—1941 2-dr. Sedan, in perfect mechanical condition; $975 cash or best offer. EX. 6115, Ext. 2810.

BUICK—1948 Super Conv., 6,000 mi.; w.w. tires, r. and h.; $2,750. Eves. after 6, NA. 3771, Ext. 512.

BUICK—1941 super, 4-dr., newly painted maroon, excel. appearance, r. and h.; seat covers; good mechanical cond. One owner. $1,150. GE. 0984.

CH. 1940 4-dr. conv.; new top, 43,000 mi. RE. 7400, EX. 5803.

BUICK—1947 super 4-door. $2,150. BARNES-SANDERS MOTORS, 1300 14th st. nw. NO. 1111. Closed Sundays.

BUICK—'37 4-door special; private party; must sell; will accept reasonable offer; car in excellent condition; can be seen after 3 p. m. at 614 B st. se.

BUICK—'47 blk. Super sed'te.; plastic seat covers, r., h.; perfect; real buy; $2000 or best offer; no dealers. WO. 7545

BUICK—'48 Roadmaster convert.; all accessories; sacrifice, $2,700. Can be financed. Gaithersburg 426-J-1.

BUICK—1937 4-door sedan, good motor and heater. See at 5307 Silver Hill rd., Parkland, Md.

CADILLAC—1948 gray 4-door sedan; r., h., other extras. WO. 8974 after 6.

CADILLAC—1941 sedanette, in perfect condition and fully equipped; am forced to sell, will accept trade, can arrange terms. Call Sam Winsboro, ST. 7863, from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m.

CADILLAC—1946 Model 62 sedan; Hydra-Matic; radio, heater, whitewall tires; low mileage; absolutely in immaculate condition. For quick disposal, $2,675. Phone office hours, DE. 1246.

CADILLAC—'41 "62" 4-dr. de luxe touring sedan; new premium grade white sidewall low-pressure cushion ride tires, radio, heater and seat covers; 1st-class cond. throughout. Original owner. This car must be seen and driven to be appreciated. $2,089. TE. 1575.

CHEVROLET—1941 special de luxe coupe; excel. cond.; paint like new; $900 cash. Phone OV 4486 after 6 p. m.

CHEVROLET 1948

Aerosedan. Radio, heater, seat covers, white wall tires; 1,900 miles. $2,095.

SATCHER

3100 Wisconsin Ave. N.W. WO. 9351.
Open Evenings Till 9 P. M.

CHEVROLET—'48 convertible; r. and h.; 6,000 careful miles; immaculate. $1,995. Owner, FA. 9339.

CHEVROLET—1937 Master De Luxe. Immaculate, just overhauled. Fliter, new tires, brakes, paint, seat covers, sealed beam h.l., other accessories. $425. OL. 7330, ext. 362, 9-4, or FA. 3829.

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CHEVROLET—'41 5-pass. coupe, master de luxe; orig. owner; orig. paint; r., h. and seat covers. $900. Daytime, RE. 6700, Ext. 75012; eves., OV. 6206.

CHEVROLET—1937 master de luxe 2-door. $375. BARNES-SANDERS MOTORS, 1300 14th st. nw. NO. 1111. Closed Sundays.

CHEVROLET, 1940 Sedan; good transp. Priced to sell at $495. BRENTWOOD MOTORS CO., INC., 1717 Rhode Island ave. ne. DU. 8188.

CHEVROLET—1947 Fleetmaster 4-Door Sedan. 18,000 miles, radio, heater, seat covers, fog lights; excel. cond.; $1,695 or best offer. ST. 2372.

CHEVROLET—1947 Fleetmaster 2-door. $1,575. BARNES-SANDERS MOTORS, 1300 14th st. nw. NO. 1111. Closed Sundays.

CHEVROLET—'48 Aerosedan, radio, heater, seat covers, white wall tires, black finish like new, 8000 miles; $2095; 30-day guar. HILL & TIBBITTS, 1114 Vt. ave. nw. NA. 9850. WASH.'S LARGEST INDOOR SHOWROOM, 100 cars.

CHEVROLET—1941 2-dr.; original owner; new engine, new seat covers, new paint job. Mr. Sheffers, ST. 5300.

CHEVROLET—1940 club coupe; excellent condition; original owner; has new rings, clutch, front end for personal use, but new car purchase forces sale; best offer. EX. 3536.

CHEVROLET—'46 4-dr. Fleetmaster; low mi.; $1450 or best cash offer. WA. 2132.

CHEVROLET, '48 convertible. Latest model. De luxe radio and heater; seat covers. Many other extras; metallic maroon finish; 5000 miles, $3150. EX. 1098 before 5:30 p. m.

CHEVROLET—1942 2-dr., green and cream; good cond.; r. and h.; $850 or best offer. TE. 1238.

CHEV.—'36 4-dr. sed., passed Va. insp.; $225 for quick sale. CH. 5130.

CHRYSLER—1939 Royal 2-door sedan, excellent running condition, motor just overhauled in our shop. This is a fine at 6643 Va. AVE. BRANCH, LOGAN (Ford), 2017 Virginia ave. nw. ME. 3968.

CHRYSLER—1941 Windsor 4-door sedan; excel. cond.; orig. owner; r.&h.; must be sold within wk.; no reas. offer rejected. RE. 3600, ext. 3455 eves., TW. 8300, ext. 178.

CROSLEY—1947 2-door sedan, clean as a pin, tires like new, very low mileage, dark green finish; special price of $495 up to 18-month terms. LOGAN (Ford), 1441 18th st. nw. DI. 5800.

DE SOTO—1947 4-door sedan, fluid drive, radio, heater, low mileage, finished in beautiful Polkstone gray. This car looks and runs like new; carries Logan's famous 30-day owner-rated guarantee; reduced to $1995. VA. AVE. BRANCH, LOGAN (Ford), 2017 Virginia ave. nw. ME. 3968.

DE SOTO—1941 custom 4-dr. sed., all extras, like new; pvt. owner. WO. 1383.

DE SOTO—1942 4-dr. Sed.; good cond.; Call or see 7-9 p. m., 1321 Fairmont st., Apt. 304. AD. 2330.

DE SOTO—1941 4-door sedan, heater; excellent running condition. This car is a find at $995; carries Logan's famous 30-day warranty. VA. AVE. BRANCH, LOGAN (Ford), 2017 Virginia ave. nw. ME. 3968.

DODGE—1941 4-door Sedan; black; excellent condition. TW. 1242.

DODGE—1947 gray custom club coupe; heater, seat covers; 50001 mi.; owner; like new cond. $1925. MI. 3000, ext. 208.

DODGE—'42 sed.; r. & h., new tires, paint; good. $1,300. AT. 3736 aft. 6.

DODGE—Late 1947 4-dr. sedan; excel. cond.; leaving country, have to sell. $1,900. Call gAD. 1662, Ext. 29.

DODGE—1947 2-door Sedan; less than 8000 mi.; seat covers, r. and h., defroster, w. w. tires; like new; $1895. Owner, OT. 8729.

DODGE—1936 4-dr. Sedan, good condition, $450. See at Harland Garage, 513 10th st. se. (rear). Mr. Minnick.

DODGE—1935 4-door, good transportation; priced low to move so we may have space; good mechanically but paint has that weary look; $170 cash. LOGAN (Ford), 1111 18th st. nw. DI. 5800.

DODGE—1941 custom 4-door. $950. BARNES-SANDERS MOTORS, 1300 14th st. nw. NO. 1111. Closed Sundays.

DODGE—1941 2-door de luxe, with radio and heater; excellent condition; $850. EM. 3622.

DODGE—'35 4-door; newly upholstered; good tires; good mechanically. $350. CO. 0457.

DODGE—1939 2-dr.; overhauled; r., h.; clean. Best offer. CH. 3349 eves. & Sun.

DODGE—1948 de luxe 2-door, our "cream puff" of the month; it's like a showroom model; beautiful baby blue finish, heater, fluid drive, custom fiber covers, drives only 7000 miles; 30-day owner-rated guarantee; $2150, up to 18-month terms; liberal trade offer guaranteed. LOGAN (Ford), 1111 18th st. nw. DI. 5800.

DODGE—1948 de luxe 2-door, like new throughout, very low mileage; must sell this week. Call Sam Winsboro, ST. 7863, from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m.

DODGE—1947 4-dr.; perfect cond.; all accessories; $1,795. OV. 4605.

FORD—1937 2-door sedan. Heater. Good transportation. Clean inside and out. $395. KE. 4851.

FORD—1946 de luxe; one owner; $1,350. AD. 8565.

FORD—1947 4-door, black, white sidewall tires, 13,000 miles, 1 yr. old. $1,600 or best offer. VI. 2317.

FORD—1948 super station wagon, black finish, 9000 miles; radio and heater, like new; $1995; 30-day guar. HILL & TIBBITTS, 1114 Vt. ave. nw. NA. 9850. WASH.'S LARGEST INDOOR SHOWROOM, 100 cars.

FORD—1947 super de luxe coupe; a fine V-8 that's really sparkling; desert tan finish, radio, heater and seat covers; plenty of luggage space; an ideal car for salesman who wants to cover lots of mileage; $1870 cash or terms; liberal trade; 30-day owner-rated guarantee. LOGAN (Ford), 1111 18th st. nw. DI. 5800.

FORD—1948 Super de luxe club coupe; black; radio, heater; 1 owner; excellent condition; $1,543. RE. 7400, Ext. 7079.

FORD—1938, convertible coupe; r.&h.; motor recently overhauled; new top; new clutch; $475. GL. 8581.

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FORD—'47 conv.; perf.; white sidewalls, r. and h., w.w. $1,800. AT. 3736 aft. 6.

FORD—'41 Tudor. Fine cond.; r. & h., new tires. $950 or best offer. OR. 7611.

FORD—1946 super de luxe Tudor. $1,250. BARNES-SANDERS MOTORS, 1300 14th st. nw. NO. 1111. Closed Sundays.

FORD—'39 2-dr. Sedan, $495, or best offer. See Ed Preston, Shell Service Station, 400 C st. ne.

FORD—1946 super de luxe Tudor, radio and heater, finished in blue-gray. This is a one-owner car and runs like new; only $1495, with 18 months to pay; carries Logan's famous 30-day owner-rated warranty. VA. AVE. BRANCH, LOGAN (Ford), 2017 Virginia ave. nw. ME. 3968.

FORD—1946 super de luxe Fordor—a nice V-8 you can steal today; only $1295 is the full price; oxford gray finish, heater and seat covers, very clean throughout; $435 down and 18-month terms; 30-day owner-rated guarantee. LOGAN (Ford), 1111 18th st. nw. DI. 5800.

FORD—1947 super de luxe Tudor. $1,575. BARNES-SANDERS MOTORS, 1300 14th st. nw. NO. 1111. Closed Sundays.

FORD—'38 sedan; excel. cond.; r. & h.; $225 or best offer. Bail

A STATEMENT OF FORD POLICY

By J. R. Davis, Vice President, Ford Motor Company

BEFORE THE HOUSE PUBLIC WORKS SUBCOMMITTEE ON QUESTIONABLE TRADE PRACTICES

WASHINGTON, D. C., DECEMBER 15, 1948

I appreciate this opportunity to appear before your Subcommittee to discuss briefly the dealer and customer relations policies of our company. We have been observing these hearings with deep interest. We at Ford agree fully with the basic premise of this Subcommittee, as stated frequently by the Chairman: "It would be deplorable if the greed and avarice of a few dealers . . . would bring the entire automotive industry into disrepute. If American business is to survive and prosper over the years the public must be dealt with fairly."

In 1945, when we resumed production on a fairly limited scale, it was obvious that a seller's market would prevail for some time to come. Even after ceiling price restrictions went off, however, the automobile industry held its prices far below what the public was willing to pay. So far as I know this is the only consumer industry, not under price ceilings, which has not let prices seek the normal market levels of a market in which demand far outstrips supply. Thus, the manufacturer has been caught in the middle of an unnatural economic situation which arose from his own efforts to deal fairly with the public by selling a product at a lower price than the product brings on the open market.

In view of this unnatural economic situation, the Ford Motor Company as early as 1945 adopted a vigorous and comprehensive policy for the distribution of automobiles. It conforms, I think, with the principles evolving from this Committee's hearings. This policy has been emphasized again and again in letters to our dealers and in speeches.

Our policy relating to our dealers is as follows:

- *Give fair used car allowances.*
- *Make no distinction in new car delivery preference or treatment. Give the clean-deal customer the same consideration as those who turn in their used car as part of the transaction. In special cases, many dealers will see the wisdom of even suggesting to new car buyers that they sell their own used car to whomever they please.*
- *Sell, never force, accessories with new car purchases.*
- *Be guided in all maximum charges by factory-suggested price.*

These points have been emphasized again and again before our own and other dealer groups. On June 3, 1948, for example, I repeated those points in a speech before the New York State Automobile Dealers Association. In addition, in the same speech, I said:

> "The public has a long memory, and it will be years before they will forget the many assumed or actual wrongs incident to the purchase of new automobiles since V-J Day. This is a very unfortunate situation for both the factories and the dealer organization. Particularly so because only a very small per cent . . . were guilty of so-called black or gray market transactions . . . The industry as a whole must now pay for the sins of the few. The sooner we pay that debt and completely eradicate the unfavorable attitude of the public, the better it will be for the industry as a whole. It is a job that we must do together."

At the same time I also pointed out the following:

> "The automobile industry needs public good will. It is just as valuable an asset for them as it is for any other single industry. No industry can prosper over an extended period of time with an antagonistic public. The ebb and flow of markets changes, but the principles of sound public relations are immutable. Sellers and buyers markets come and go, but the code of good business ethics remains fixed."

That message was sent our entire dealer organization. It has been said time and time again by officials of our company. I think they are principles with which this Subcommittee will concur.

As early as November, 1945, I wrote a letter to all Ford, Mercury, and Lincoln dealers suggesting that they protect public interest by effecting priority deliveries to doctors, nurses, public health officials, rural mail carriers, etc., and also that upwards of 25 per cent be allocated to veterans.

Similar letters to dealers have continued at regular intervals. In July, 1946, for example, we prepared a booklet for dealer distribution which contained the definite statement that availability of a used car for trade-in would not be a controlling factor in obtaining new cars from Ford dealers.

We have been especially interested in the automotive "gray market" since the introduction of our new models. Before these cars came out we urged and reurged our dealers to exert every caution to assure that they would be sold to regular customers, people whose need for transportation was substantial. But within days after the 1949 Ford was introduced they appeared on the used car lots—at premiums reportedly averaging more than $1100. From one viewpoint, this was a fine tribute to our new product. On the other hand, the situation definitely reflected unfavorably on both Ford dealers and the Ford Motor Company. Through our district offices, we checked every specific case that was brought to our attention, and we did not find a single instance in which a Ford dealer deliberately collaborated in the sale of a 1949 Ford for the purpose of resale.

> *I know this Subcommittee is particularly interested in the subject of parts and accessories. You might wish to know that at the present time less than 25 per cent of our new passenger cars delivered in Washington metropolitan area are factory equipped with radios; less than 35 per cent with heaters, and less than 10 per cent with overdrive. As a matter of fact, the supply of these accessories is considerably short of dealer requirements.*

There are approximately 7,000 Ford, Lincoln and Mercury dealers in the United States. In addition to our letters to dealers, referred to above, our company attempts to maintain close liaison with them through both our regional and district organizations. We also have a Ford National Dealers Council, an elected group representing a cross-section of dealers throughout the country. This group meets regularly in Dearborn with company officials. Its activities are supplemented by regional dealer councils, which meet periodically throughout the year. High on the agenda of all such meetings are those principles of sound business practice which we are discussing here today.

In addition a team of speakers from the company, including Mr. Henry Ford II, Mr. Ernest R. Breech, executive vice president, myself and one or two others, have spoken before our own dealers in every part of the country. In the last 18 months, I think we have reached every one of our 7,000 dealers in this way with emphatic messages on the subject of fair trade practices and sound business management.

Also during the past couple of years, I have talked to various general dealer associations, including those in New York State, Tennessee and Virginia, as well as the Canadian Federation of Automobile Dealer Associations. My associate, Walker Williams, Ford General Sales Manager, recently talked to the Florida dealers, and we and other company officials have addressed other business groups. Each of our 7,000 dealers receive copies of each of these talks. They all stressed the same theme—the very subjects now receiving the attention of this Subcommittee.

It might be well to quote from just one other talk. Before the Tennessee Automotive Association, at Biloxi, Mississippi, on September 9, 1947, I said:

> "The American public is a pretty exacting jury. They are slow to reach a verdict, but when they do, they are much slower to change that verdict. And, in my opinion, a verdict may be reached one of these days that will affect favorably or unfavorably both the new car dealer and the manufacturer as well, because of current practices in the retail automobile trade . . .
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> "In the final analysis, the only way to reverse this unfavorable trend of public opinion is to stop the practices that brought it into being, and the only people who can do that are the dealers themselves . . .
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> "I want to suggest that dealers, both individually and through your associations, ought to undertake a thoroughgoing crusade against the practices which are piling up public suspicion against all of us.
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> "Should dealer associations see fit to advise car manufacturers of practices by any individual dealers that, in their opinion, are harmful or injurious to the industry as a whole, or contrary to the best interests of the car-buying public, I can assure you that we at Ford would welcome such information, and do something about it. I believe other car manufacturers would feel as we do."

The local automobile dealer, of course, is an independent businessman. He must make his own decisions; set his own policies; determine what is best for his long-term future. We manufacturers can only recommend, as strongly as we know how, that the dealers do not engage in "under the table" transactions; require trade-ins; give low trade-in allowances; force unwanted accessories, etc.—but the ultimate action rests with the dealer.

We can, however, disfranchise dealers and since January 1, 1946, the Ford Motor Company has terminated 24 franchises because of "gray market" transactions. We recognize that a Ford franchise is a very valuable asset. We regard it of utmost importance that no dealer ever loses his franchise without being given every reasonable opportunity to correct weaknesses that might cause such action. We have a grievance procedure that gives the dealer an opportunity to present his viewpoint personally to the district manager, the regional manager and to properly qualified officers at our central office at Dearborn.

We give this Congressional Subcommittee and the American public as a whole our pledge that the policy of the Ford Motor Company will be continued and that every effort within our means will be used to get the highest measure of dealer cooperation with that policy.

And I emphasize that it must be a matter of cooperation on the part of the dealer and in no wise coercion or control on the part of the factory. We are constantly reminded of this fact by the legal restrictions of Federal and State Governments.

I should also like to point out something of which you are doubtless aware. We have found in hundreds of investigations of complaints against dealers that it often was a member of the car-buying public who was the offender. The "gray market" in cars was the result of human nature—the natural tendency of a great many people to turn a quick dollar profit through many ingenious schemes which they devised and which made the car dealer appear to be the culprit.

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In closing, however, I do want to record the fact that an overwhelming majority of our dealers have kept faith with the public, with the company and with their dealer associates.

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Sorority Members Go A-Caroling

WASHINGTON families will participate in "sing along" parties Monday morning "to put a song in the heart of the speechless." They are members of the local active and alumnae chapters of Kappa Alpha Theta Sorority and their caroling will pay special tribute to the Institute of Logopedics, the nonprofit school of speech in Wichita, Kans. The Thetas will join Fred Waring's Monday broadcast of Christmas carols, which is also dedicated to the speech-handicapped, and the Wichita Institute. Shown above are Mrs. Paul E. Shorb (left), president of the Washington alumnae chapter of the sorority, discusses the "sing along" plans with Mrs. Donald Hogate (center), president of District 10 of the sorority, and Mrs. Clement Parker, who is in charge of the Maryland University carol singing

"Oh, come let us adore H-i-i-m" is going through a rehearsal by this group of youngsters who'll participate in carol singing Monday. The caroling is being sponsored by Kappa Alpha Theta Sorority in observance of the speech-correction work done at the Institute of Logopedics, Wichita, Kans. The children are practicing at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Shorb White. Margaret Ruth White is at the piano and the young carolers are (left to right) David Neil White, Richard Asbill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mac Asbill; Robin Bower, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lee Bower, and John Benjamin O'Sullivan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin O'Sullivan

With Six Male Confreres

First Woman FCC Member, Frieda Hennock, Speaks The Last Word on Radio

By Mary Van Rensselaer Thayer

ON A Sunday morning last June, at precisely 7:11 a. m., the Republican Congress confirmed Truman appointee Frieda B. Hennock, first woman member of the Federal Communications Commission and sole confirmee out of 900 cases presented. This was the Eightieth Congress' final act before debouching Philadelphia-wards to the Republican Convention.

A feminine Communications Commissioner had long been needed, since women and children make up 90 per cent of the air-attuned consuming public. Lawyer Hennock, a dynamo addicted to golf, sapphires and indoor plants, is the sole woman on a board of six men. The commission has ultimate word on all matters dealing with electric and electronic communication. Primarily, Miss Hennock's job is quasi-judicial.

SOME DAYS 60 cases pass over her desk and she makes decisions on such variedly allied subjects as telephone rate-making, radio licensing, television, F. M., international teletype; special safety services, such as police and taxi radios, ship-to-shore telephones, private citizens' radios.

As there are over 60 million radio sets, three quarters of a million television sets (and probably two million by next year) in regular operation, Frieda and the FCC have cut themselves a daisy task.

FRIEDA, who's blonde, intense, barely forty-ish, studied everything except law as a youngster. At varying periods during adolescence she dipped into music, dramatics, wanted to be a singer. Around 18, she decided to shock her placid family, become a lawyer. Then, most top-notch law schools were closed to women. She wangled into Brooklyn law school and, remembering men like Lincoln had no formal training but "read" law in an office, she got herself an after-hours job with a legal firm.

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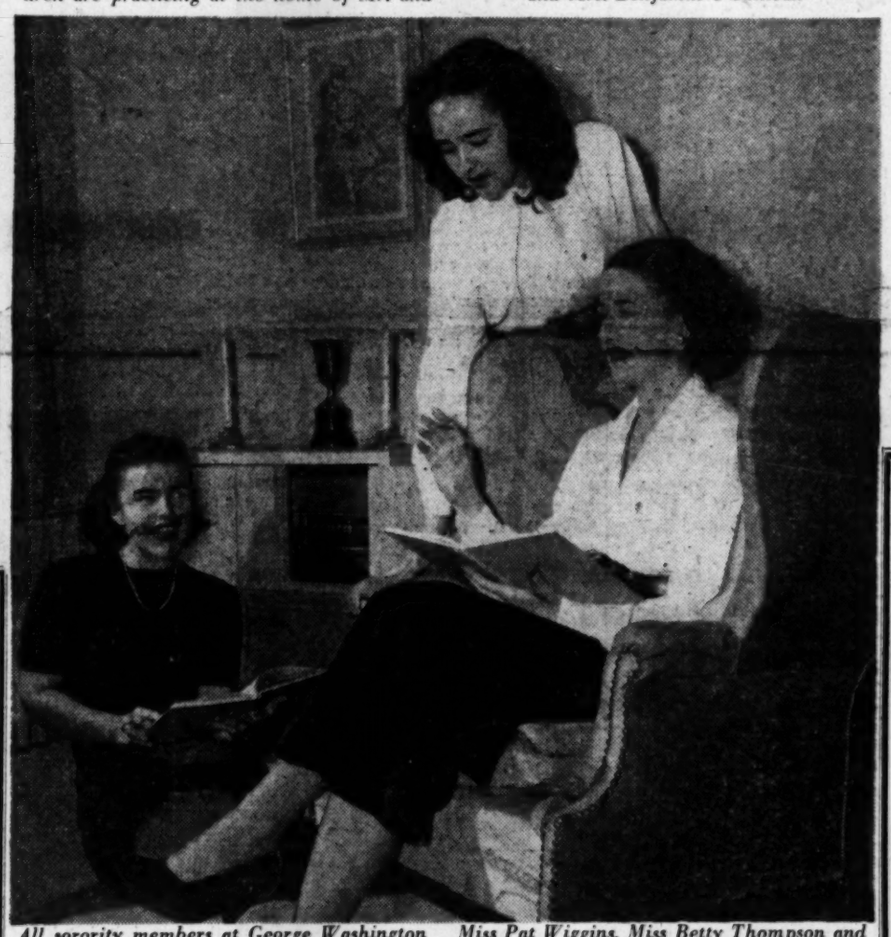
Morgenstiernes Hosts

THE Norwegian Ambassador and Mme. Munthe Morgenstierne entertained at tea yesterday at the embassy, asking the chiefs of mission of the diplomatic corps and their wives; members of the Cabinet and their wives and the Assistant Secretaries of State and their wives. At the tea table were the wives of members of the embassy staff.



All sorority members at George Washington University have been invited by the Kappa Alpha Theta Chapter there to meet at its apartment for the "sing along" Monday morning. These Thetas, who will lead the carols, are shown brushing up on extra verses of the yuletide favorites. They are (left to right) Miss Pat Wiggins, Miss Betty Thompson and Miss Rosemary Glenn, president of the G. W. U. Chapter. The young ladies will meet to pay tribute to the Institute of Logopedics, Wichita, Kans., which for several years has been the sorority's major project

Stackelbergs Entertain

Mr. and Mrs. Constantine de Stackelberg entertained a few friends at cocktails yesterday.

Mary Haworth's Mail

Happily Married Second Time, Mother Asks How to Explain to Child of First Marriage That Father Is Inmate of Mental Hospital

DEAR MARY HAWORTH: Six years ago my first husband, Craig, sued for divorce when he learned we were having a child and I refused to have an abortion. A year later, when the divorce was final, he was committed to a mental hospital. I understand that his disorder is not hereditary and that he will be released soon.

He last saw our child when she was an infant and now she is five and just starting to kindergarten. The problem is how much past history to tell her, and how convey it constructively. Also, whether to permit Craig to see her if he asks; or would that complicate matters?

Three years ago I married again, very happily. Jim is a kind, understanding husband, we are much in love and he has a devoted normal father-daughter relationship with Jane, who returns his affection and accepts him as her "real" father.

Child Thinks Second Husband Is "Father"

JANE, incidentally, gets on well with other children, has varied interests, both creative and boisterous, and although she has "off days," she is extremely well behaved as a rule, due to the fact that both Jim and I are rather strict about obedience. But we also play with her, include her in our conversations and show her that we love her dearly.

Craig's mother, who lives nearby, sees Jane regularly and Jane calls her "grandmother," and Jim's parents and mine also live nearby, which provides an excess of grandparents, and questions from Jane are bound to arise. So how can I explain about her real father, and what reason should I give for his leaving us? I want to tell the truth, and yet I don't think she should ever know about Craig's mental illness.

What are the chances of her developing attitudes of "You're not my real father" towards Jim, when things are somewhat explained? And in the event Craig doesn't wish to see her, is it likely that she will glorify him in her imagination? I am greatly worried about the whole thing, realizing that a poor presentation may have a very bad effect upon her; so please help me. C. S.

Translate "History" Into Bedtime Story

DEAR C. S.: Since Jim is Jane's father to all intents and purposes, a conviction on Jane's part that shouldn't be clouded by anxious detailed instruction to the contrary, it seems to me the way to introduce Craig at his proper significance, and yet keep faith with the spirit of truth, is to ring in a story-hour by announcing that tonight you'll tell the story of why Jane has three sets of grandparents, when most children only have two.

The story might run: Once upon a time, when you were young, you got married and you were going to have a baby—the baby was Jane—but before she was born, the daddy went away, because he felt too sick to work all day and take care of a family. So he went to a judge, and the judge said, "Sir, you're excused from being married," and then he went to a hospital and there he stayed, trying to get well. And he is still in the hospital, but he may get well some day.

Say that he is Grandmother Doe's son, and she thinks he might come home pretty soon; but anyway, after Jane was born, along came this other daddy, the one we've got now. Of course, at that time he wasn't our daddy yet; but he said to himself, that's the little girl I want and I'll take her Mommie, too, and both of us will take care of her.

Accent Treasure, Not Old Tragedy

SO HE said, "I love Jane and I love you, and I want you to be my family," and he married Mommie and now we're a family and

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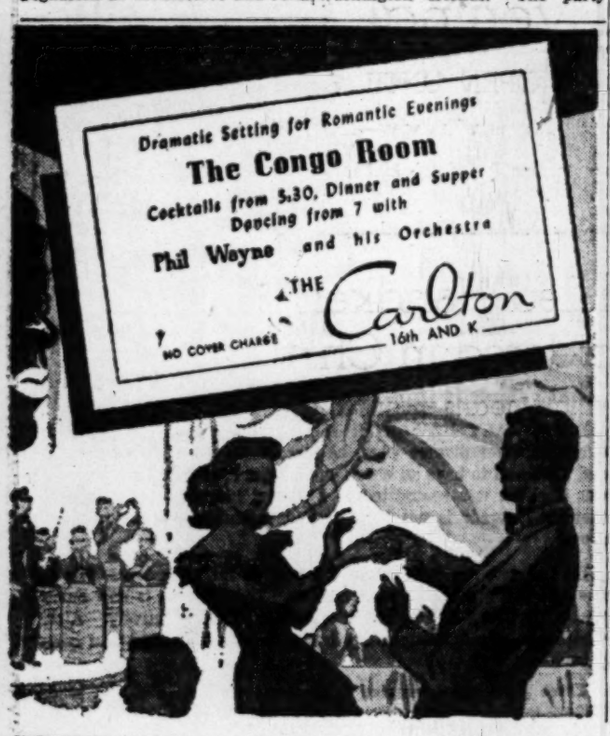
Cocktail Party Introduces Two New Brides

A COCKTAIL party was given yesterday afternoon by Prince Pignatelli de Montecalvo and John Wesley Brabner-Smith to introduce their brides to their Washington friends. The party was at 5:30 o'clock at the home of Prince and Princess Pignatelli at 2941 Massachusetts ave.

Princess Pignatelli is the former Miss Barbara Eastman of New York City, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norman F. Eastman of New York City. Her marriage took place October 14 at Lake Tahoe, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Brabner-Smith were married on Sunday, October 17, 1948 in St. Anne's Church, Berlin-Dahlem, Germany, and have just recently come to Washington, where they are making their home in Georgetown. Before her marriage, Mrs. Brabner-Smith was Miss Gabriele Nina Marie Daniela Siemens, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Friedrick Carl Siemens of Berlin. She is the niece of the late Count Peter Yorck von Wartenberg, who was leader of the underground in Germany before and during the war. Her mother, the former Countess Yorck von Wartenberg, is head of the Church World Service Organization in Berlin.

Among the many guests at the cocktail party yesterday were Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Schenck, Miss Rosalind Rust, Victor Sutro, Wallace Parks, Mrs. John Davidge Warfield of Baltimore, Col. and Mrs. Richard Wilmer, Peter Hoguet, Col. Janiz Illinski, Princess Lippa, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Feery, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dudley, Norton Goodwin, Richard Bolling, Miss Helen Bowdoin and Mr. and Mrs. Horatio R. Rogers.



SANTA made an early visit to St. Joseph's Home and School Tuesday. He was the special guest at the Christmas party given by Dunbarton College girls. Shown above, St. Nick, who is really Henry Rinaldi, pulls out of his sack surprises for Lee and Joe of the children's home. Santa's assistant is Miss Mary Jo Voegtli, chairman of the social activities committee of Dunbarton. The Christmas program included a puppet show, carol singing and cake and ice cream

By William Klemm—The Washington Post

Doings of the Day . . .

The Washington Alumnae Chapter of Theta Upsilon will hold a Christmas party at the home of Mrs. John O'Leary, Silver Spring, Md . . . **The Writer's League of Washington** will meet at the studio, 1851 Columbia rd., at 8 p. m . . . **Rho Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi Sorority** regular meeting will be held at 1607 I st. nw. at 8 p. m . . . **XI Exemplar Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority** will hold its annual Christmas party at 8 p. m. in the recreation room at 1727 Massachusetts ave. Miss Alice Johnson will be the hostess for the party. The party was arranged by the chairman of the social committee, Mrs. James R. Hogg and the Misses Elsie Kamm, Ina Osterberg, Mary K. Cavanaugh and Helen Buzzell . . . **The District of Columbia Ladies Auxiliary of the Jewish War Veterans** will have Mrs. Mae W. Weiner, national president, as guest of honor at a meeting in the Jewish War Veterans' Headquarters, 3147 16th st. nw. at 8 p. m . . . **American Association of University Women, Alexandria branch,** literary group will meet at the home of Mrs. A. E. Sanderson, Wellington Villa. Toynbee's "Civilization on Trial" will be the discussion topic led by Mrs. E. W. Benington . . . Allen Tate, American poet and critic, will read his poetry at the **Institute of Contemporary Arts** meeting in the Institute Auditorium at 8:30 p. m.

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On the Club Front

Zonta Club Speaker Outlines World Affairs Study Program

THE new Washington World Affair Center will provide a program of education in international affairs to serve people of the National Capital area, Mrs. Hale T. Shenefield told members of the Zonta Club at a luncheon in the Dodge Hotel yesterday. This will be done, Mrs. Shenefield explained, by making information and facilities already in existence here more readily available in more interesting forms to more people.

Although the Washington World Affairs Center, sponsored by the United Nations Forum, has been in the making for the past two years, it was officially launched on November 11 at the Chevy Chase Club, she said. Today the Center headquarters is at 1712 H st.

Secretary of State Marshall has remarked that foreign policy has taken a seat at every American dinner table and, Mrs. Shenefield said, "our program is helping all who want to know more about foreign policy, our permanent dinner table companion."

Mrs. Shenefield enumerated the Center's projects as (1) a clearing house for information concerning various organizations who have a world affairs program; (2) to be reference center as to "where" and "how" world affairs information may be obtained; (3) to organize city groups composed of various categories of members, such as Congress, the Diplomatic Corps and international agencies; (4) establish a speaker's bureau for local organizations wishing to schedule world affairs programs; (5) establish a training program for world affairs leaders of local organizations, and (6) possibly publish a bulletin called Washington World Affairs Notes.

Arthur Sweetser, director of the United Nations Information Bureau in Washington, is chairman of the local World Affairs Center and the vice chairmen are Mrs. Shenefield and Blair Bolles.

Among the persons who served on the organizing committee of the center are Dr. Elton Elkwater, Mrs. Robert Low Bacon, Dr. Jesse Bogue, Frank Dunham, Dr. William C. Johnstone, jr., Gen. Frank R. McCoy, Mrs. Howell Moorehead, Mrs. Gifford Pinchot, the Rev. Wilfred Parsons, Mrs. Laura Puffer Morgan, Dr. Pitman Potter, Mrs. George Maurice Morris, Dr. Halford Hoskins, Barnet Nover, Dr. Francis Wilcox, Robert Sangmeier, Virgil Fox, Dr. Luther Evans, Stuart Haydon and J. R. Wiggins.

New CAR Chapter Formed in Bethesda

Colonel Tench Tilghman Chapter, DAR, is sponsoring the organization of a new society of the Children of the American Revolution in the Bethesda area, as a result of a recommendation by Mrs. Robert J. Boyd of Chevy Chase, senior president of the Maryland CAR. The announcement was made by Mrs. Evan A. Condon, regent of Colonel Tench Tilghman Chapter.

Mrs. Joseph Francis Betterley of Bethesda was appointed organizing senior president of the new society at a recent board meeting of Colonel Tench Tilghman Chapter, chairman of radio for the Maryland State Society, DAR, and chairman of patriotic education for the Maryland State Society, CAR.

The board approved Mrs. Betterley's suggestion that the new society be named Charles Carroll of Carrollton in honor of the Maryland patriot and statesman who was one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence.

'D. C. Voters' League Rally Set to Map 'Know U. N.' Drive

Members of the District of Columbia League of Women Voters will hold a rally on Friday at 1:30 p. m. in the board room of the Y. W. C. A. to make plans for the "Know Your United Nations" drive to be carried on locally next March.

Miss Barbara White, program secretary of the League of Women Voters of the United States, will speak briefly on the "Importance of the United Nations on the League Program." Ways and means of making the community "United Nations conscious" will be discussed

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Reunion, Parties, Citation, Salute

Manila Puts on Welcome Show For Visiting Envoy Elizalde

By Marie McNair

NO PRODIGAL son had a warmer welcome home than Ambassador Elizalde on a return visit to Manila.

Parties by the President and old friends, getting a decoration, have all been a part of Mike Elizalde's homecoming, plus a reunion with his mother, Senora Carmen Moreu de Elizalde, recently arrived from Spain. The Philippine's Legion of Honor was awarded the Ambassador for "eminently meritorious and valuable service" of a non-combatant character and for "outstanding service to Filipino veterans of World War II."

THE CEREMONY took place last Thursday at Camp Murphy in Quezon City with a 19-gun salute and a parade staged in his honor. The afternoon was marred only by a steady downpour of rain, but the Ambassador refused to take cover as long as the soldiers couldn't and stuck it out with the rest.

Certainly no happier choice could have been made in selecting Mike Elizalde to be Ambassador to Washington.

He has shoals of friends here, from the days he was Resident Commissioner. He is credited with the passage of various pieces of legislation in the United States Congress for the benefit of Filipino veterans, notably the Philippine veterans hospitalization bill, known as the Rogers bill.

MIKE ELIZALDE will spend Christmas in Manila, will leave the day after for Tokyo to see General MacArthur, and from there will wing his way over the Pacific, Washington-bound.

Modern Turkish Envoys

THE Turkish Ambassador and Mme. Erkin represent the new, the modern Turkey.

Mme. Erkin is young and beautiful, her husband is a working Ambassador who has little time for pink teas. Recently back from a trip across country, Mme. Erkin said, "I wanted to see how America was built; your wonderful roads, your industries—they are amazing! I can understand now what makes your country great."

SPEAKING NO English when she arrived here four months ago, the brown-eyed wife of the Ambassador is now almost fluent. Her French is perfect, also her German, and she has a smattering of Italian, picked up when her husband was envoy to Rome.

Mme. Erkin has something to interest Mr. Ripley—a trick that made her a bete noir to her friends in Istanbul when she was very young.

BECAUSE SHE kept her secret so well, half a dozen apple trees were once stripped of all their fruit. The answer is simple enough if you have the knowhow. It involves an apple. The trick is to core the apple in such a way that when the center is removed the fruit falls apart in four equal pieces.

THE NICEST Christmas present that Harry Andrews, Minister of South Africa, will receive, is the announcement from his government that he has been named Ambassador. Yes, it's true, South Africa will take on its new status when Mr. Andrews, now on his way to Washington from the U. N. sessions in Paris, presents his credentials to President Truman. It couldn't have happened to a nicer guy!

DATE-BOOK DATA:

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Hurja will entertain at their annual Christmas carol party on Christmas Eve, with guests asked from 6 o'clock on.

Gen. and Mrs. Richard Cutts will give a dinner party at the Carlton Friday evening before the dance to be given by **Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Bretsch** as a farewell to **Mme. Gertrude Weissa.**

Egyptian Envoy's Wife Gives Press Party

MME. Kamil Abdul Rahim, wife of the new Egyptian Ambassador, was at home yesterday after 5 o'clock to ladies of the press. Tea and cocktails were served in the drawing room of the embassy, where the hostess received her guests.

Dewey-Warren Committee Gathers for Cocktails

Mrs. Thad Brown who was vice chairman of the Dewey-Warren Campaign Committee, head of campaign activities of the Republican women of the District and head of the special gifts committee of the Dewey-Warren Club, entertained her committee at a "summing up with cocktails" party yesterday at her home.

MISS ADELAIDE PHILIPS
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Miss Philips, Sergt. Merrill To Wed Dec. 26

Mrs. Adelaide Adams Philips of Washington and Charlottesville, Va., announces the engagement of her daughter, Adelaide Zitella Philips, to Master Sergt. James Hamilton Merrill of Charlottesville. Miss Philips is the daughter of the late R. Roland Philips.

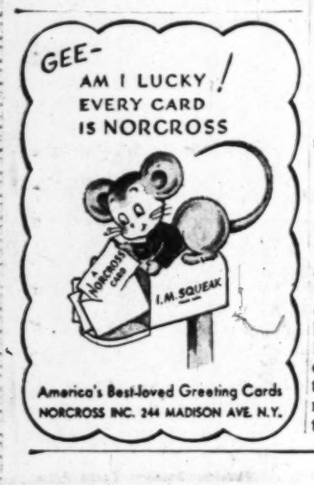
The bride-elect is senior designer for the Virginia Geographical Institute of the University of Virginia. She attended American University, the University of Maryland, the French Language School of Washington and studied art at the National Art School and Phillips Memorial Gallery School of Art. During the war Miss Philips was in the Map Division of the Office of Strategic Services in Washington and remained with the Government as a cartographer with the Department of State.

Mr. Merrill is the son of Mrs. Clara H. Merrill of Waco, Tex. He is an instructor with the ROTC at the University of Virginia. He is a graduate of the Pacific States University at Los Angeles and of the Command and General Staff School, Fort Leavenworth, Kans. He lived in Hawaii for 20 years before the outbreak of World War II and was a temporary colonel in the AUS for seven years, having been made executive officer of the Twenty-ninth Infantry at Schofield Barracks in October, 1940. He commanded the Maui Service Command and Christmas Island Task Force. He was awarded the Bronze Star for service on Kwajalein and with the Iwo Jima Garrison Force.

The wedding will take place on Sunday, December 26, at 12:30 in Emory Methodist Church, Washington. R. Zeri Philips will give his sister in marriage.

Wises Entertain

Mr. and Mrs. Bertram Wise entertained a large company of friends at dinner last evening at the Wardman Park Hotel.



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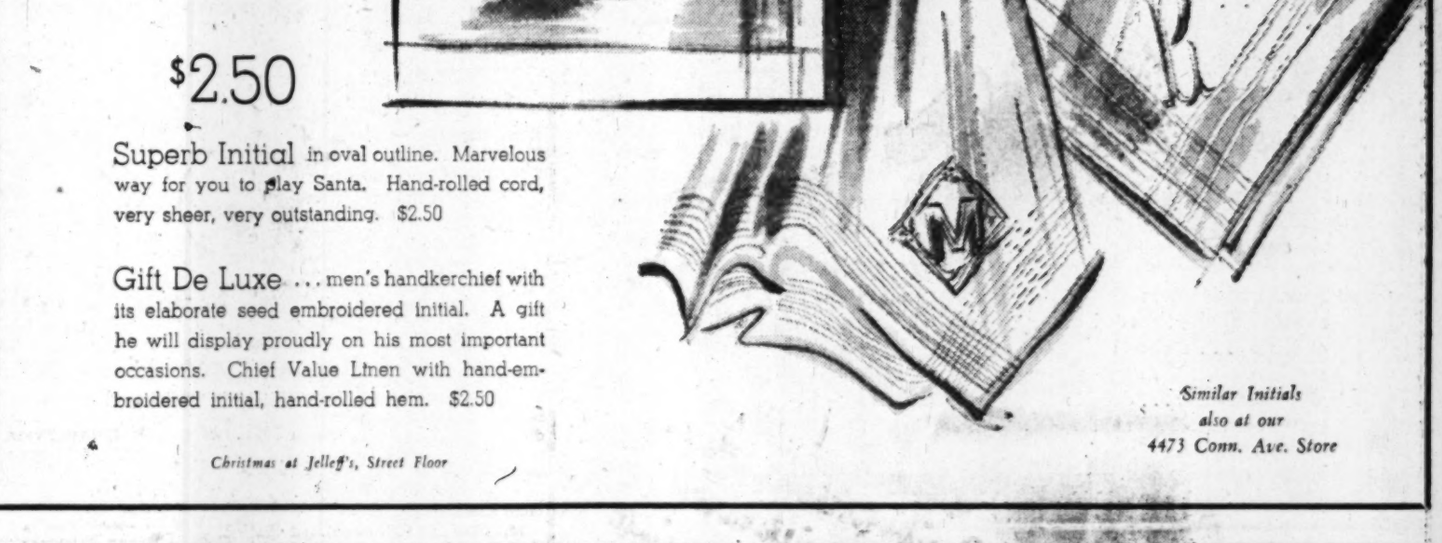

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Evelyn Davis Calls Sets at Playhouse Square Dance Here

Members of the original square dance group were unusually spry Tuesday evening when they met for one of their fortnighty dances at the Dance Playhouse on Church st. A number of new members and guests caught on rapidly to "a la Maine left," and "do-cee-do." Miss Evelyn Davis, director of the Dance Playhouse, called the dances in the absence of the dean, John Dreier.

Dancers included Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Walk, Francis Stephens, James Mann, Mr. and Mrs. Russell True, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Perry, jr., Mr. and Mrs. Roderick Cox, Miss Julia Foracker, Mr. and Mrs. J. Forrester Davison, Chester Carre, Miss Eleanor Powell, Miss Evelyn Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Jacques Reinstein and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Ulman.

The group will hold a dance on New Year's Eve.

Engaged to Midshipmen

Harris Ewing

Miss Nancy Lee Heberton's engagement to Midshipman Reginald Montague Machell has been announced by her parents, Capt. and Mrs. Charles M. Heberton of Chevy Chase. The wedding will take place in June, when Midshipman Machell will be graduated from the United States Naval Academy. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Montague A. Machell of Phoenix, Ariz.

Miss Shirley June Congdon has become engaged to Midshipman George Elder Beattie, U. S. N., son of Paul Allen Beattie of Washington and Fayetteville, Pa. Her betrothal is announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Franklin Congdon of Ridley Park. The bride-elect, a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania, is the niece of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick J. Icenhower of Chevy Chase

Birth Announcement

Mr. and Mrs. W. Anthony Carnelli are being congratulated on the birth of a daughter—their second—on Tuesday, at Georgetown University Hospital. The baby will be christened Veneranda. Mrs. George W. Blow will be her godmother. Mr. Carnelli is a well-known artist

Service Daughters Plan Ball Saturday

Tau Omicron Phi, Army and Navy sorority, and the junior group of the Washington chapter of the Daughters of the Army, will give a ball at the Officers Club at Fort McNair on Saturday evening from 9 to 12. The Air Force orchestra will play.

Miss Patricia Foster is president of the junior Army and Navy Daughters, and Miss Betty Caldwell is president of Tau Omicron Phi. Miss Sheila Baish is chairman of the dance committee in charge of arrangements.

DAR Chapters Plan Christmas Programs

The December meeting of the Mary Washington Chapter, DAR, will take place at the Chapter House today at 7:30 p. m., with the regent, Mrs. Jerome A. Esker, presiding.

A short business meeting will be followed by a musical program.

The Gault String Ensemble will entertain with a repertoire of chamber music, and an additional feature will be violin and piano selections by Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Clark. There will be a reading of a Christmas story by Miss Lelia Mae Taylor, after which the members and guests will participate in the singing of Christmas carols which will be lead by Miss Dolly Adams.

The December meeting of Martha Washington Chapter, D. A. R., will feature "The Story of Christmas" as told by the guest speaker, Miss Alice Hutchens Drake, at the chapter house today at 8 p. m.

Mrs. Geoffrey Creyke, past vice president general, will be guest of honor at the annual Christmas meeting of the Col. James McCall Chapter, District of Columbia, D. A. R., to be held today at 8 p. m., at the Chapter House,. Mrs. Creyke will tell "A Christmas Story."

Members are requested to bring a Christmas-wrapped gift for a child at Tamassee.

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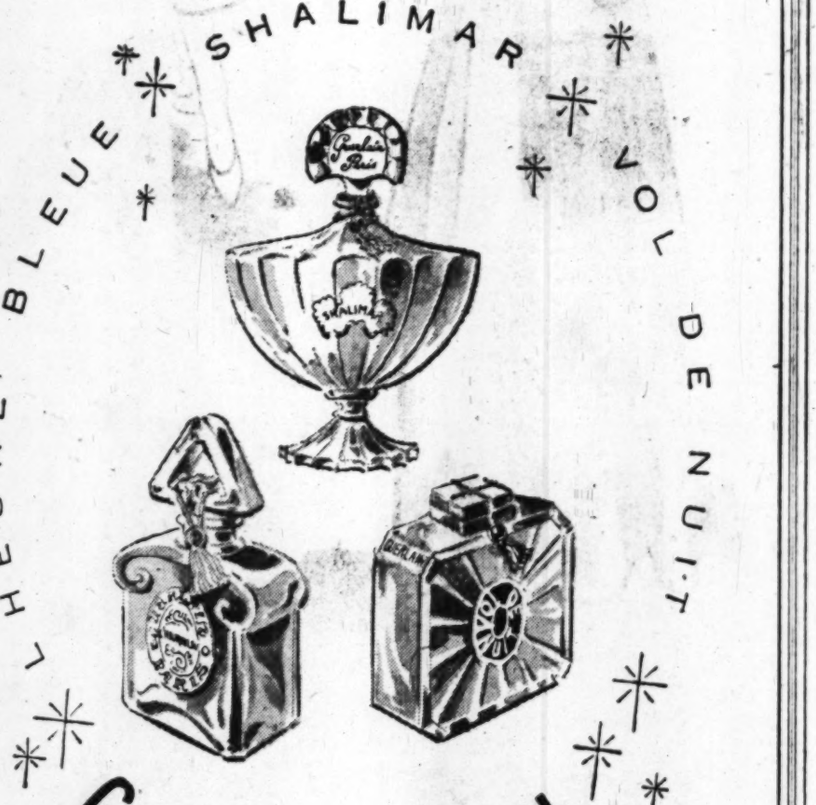

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Ask Anne

A Pre-Christmas Luncheon Menu

Could you suggest an appropriate menu for a lunch just before Christmas day? I plan to invite seven women friends in to lunch around the 20th of December and would like to know your suggestion for a simple yet complete lunch to serve them in keeping with the approaching holiday. These women all work and will come during their usual "hour" lunch time. H. A.

Since your guests are returning to work, they would probably enjoy a luncheon that is not too heavy. You might have: Creamed chicken in toast cases, Christmas tree salad, hot rolls and current jelly, raspberry sherbet, Christmas cookies and coffee.

The toast cases are made by forcing a slice of white bread, which has had the crusts removed and is lightly buttered, into muffin pans. Place the pans in a slow oven for 15 to 20 minutes until the bread is lightly browned. If you make them in advance, reheat them just before using.

CHRISTMAS TREE SALAD

Crush contents of 1-pound can of jellied cranberry sauce and ½ cup hot water. Heat thoroughly to melt. Soak one envelope gelatin in ¼ cup cold water 5 minutes and add to hot cranberry sauce. When mixture begins to congeal, fold in ground rind and pulp of 1 orange, 1/3 cup diced celery, 1/3 cup chopped nuts, and ¼ teaspoon salt. Pour into cone-shaped paper drinking cups. Support filled cups in small glasses. Chill until firm. When ready to serve, place on lettuce and peel off paper cups. Trim with a narrow band of softened cream cheese which has been tinted green. Start the band at the bottom of the cone and wind it spirally around the cone ending it at the top. To do this, place the cream cheese in a pastry tube or bag. If you have no pastry bag, fashion one by rolling several thicknesses of heavy paper in the shape of a cone. Fasten the loose end with a pin to hold it secure. To fill the cone with the cream cheese, set it in a tall glass or a milk bottle. When filled, fold the top edges of the paper over several times to hold the cheese in when the tube is squeezed. If the opening at the small end is not large enough to allow a sizeable stream of cheese to pass through, clip it off with a pair of scissors. Be careful not to cut it too large for it will become somewhat larger when the squeezing pressure is put on it.

For gifts to a married woman or married couples, I have in mind monogrammed towels. Are the husband's initials used in such cases? E. K.

Either use just the family's last initial or the wife's three initials.

I am planning to make cookies for Christmas presents. Could you help me on the packing problem? How should it be done to avoid breakage, also inexpensively? I know of the "pop corn" trick, but wanted to save that money. Shredded paper? If so, how many to a box and what size box? M. E. H.

Place a layer of shredded tissue paper or wax paper on the bottom of the box, put wax paper over that and then a layer of cookies, one cookie deep. Place a layer of shredded paper over the cookie layer and repeat ending with shredded paper over the top cookie layer. If the cookies are the crisp, brittle kind, I would not advise more than two layers of cookies, with generous layers of shredded paper above, below, and between. When the lid is on, the box should be packed so tightly that there is no rattle at all.

Drop cookies and chocolate brownies ship especially well. When mailing cookies like brownies, cutting them so that the squares exactly fit the box will lessen the packing problem and chances of breaking. When the box of cookies is packed, wrapping a length of corrugated paper around it before the wrapping paper is put around will lessen the chances of the box being crushed.

The number of cookies to a box will vary with their size, but generally speaking one and one half to two dozen of rolled cookies in a box 12 inches square and 2 inches high would be about right. You could safely put more drop cookies in the same sized box.

I have a large quantity of magnolia seeds which are lovely shade of red. Is there anything I can make of them other than a string of beads? I have about three pounds of them. Do they have a sale value? I intend to lacquer the ones I use as beads. N. M. B.

You could attach the seeds in a planned pattern to decorate a plain black fabric, beret or belt. Attach them to the purse in rows running diagonally across the purse to form diamond shapes. The same plan could be used for the beret.

Your only chance of selling them would be to find an interested individual. I do not know of any shop that would be interested in buying them.

Can you tell me how to restore the appearance of the fingertips of some otherwise entirely presentable black doeskin gloves? They are gray and shiny. I hate to discard the gloves which have a lot of wear left if I could fix the fingertips. H. T. C.

You might try this: Apply a good quality black shoe polish to the fingertips to restore the black color. Rub the polish in well, let it dry thoroughly, and then rub well to remove excess polish. This will probably leave the tips smooth and shiny, so to break the shine, buff with emory paper or the sort of wire brush which is sometimes used on suede shoes.

What is the best way to protect a new dropleaf, mahogany Duncan Phyfe table? Are pads available? E. W.

Listed under "Table Pads" there are several firms which sell pads and make them to order. I would suggest you discuss your problem with one of them to find the pad best suited to your needs. To protect the table without a pad, apply several thin coats of paste wax, rubbing well after each coat.

How can I refinish a console table? I think the top is solid walnut and the legs the same while the front looks like veneer. E. W.

Remove all the old finish by using a good commercial paint and varnish remover. Wipe with benzine to take away every trace of the remover and sand with fine sandpaper until satin smooth. Now, you may use one of several finishes. You could apply two coats of varnish stain, or you could apply an oil stain and when dry, apply a coat of varnish or shellac. Or, if the color of the raw wood is as you would like the finished piece to be, you can apply clear varnish or shellac directly to the raw wood without using a stain of any sort. When completely dry, any of the above finished can be rubbed down with pumice and oil until you acquire the soft gloss which is admired by so many. If it should turn out that some of the table is solid and other parts of it veneer, you may have to use a stain so that the finished piece will have the same color all over.

Is there anyway I can clean my upholstered furniture at home? E. W.

With care, furniture can be shampooed at home. Dissolve 1 cup mild soap flakes in 2 cups of water and whip until a heavy froth is formed. Apply only the suds to a small area of the upholstery with a brush. Work in a circular motion, removing the suds when the area is clean and rinsing very thoroughly by wiping with a soft cloth wrung out of clean water. Continue in this manner until the piece is shampooed. Set out-of-doors to dry or turn an electric fan onto it to dry quickly indoors.

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THAYER—From Page 1

Miss Hennock Gives Party for FCC Wives

THE DAY SHE passed the bar examinations Frieda opened her own office. It had been lent to her, rent free, by a casual woman acquaintance.

WITHIN TWO WEEKS Miss H. had won a case for her landlady and completely revamped her finances. Frieda asked no fee but her grateful landlady insisted on paying her $3000. Not a bad start.

First Anything; Then Corporations

FIRST TAKING every kind of case, she began at last to specialize in corporate law, handling large estates, and became an outstanding Wall Street lawyer.

ALWAYS INTERESTED in social service, Frieda claims a flair for Government, believes every citizen at some time should serve in it. Her commissioner's job pulls down only an infinitesimal part of her former plush salary and, like everyone else, she finds economy tough going.

Her most pleasant eccentricity is believing that, after a hard day's work, there's nothing more refreshing than coming home to a plant-filled room. To buoy herself in new surroundings, Frieda carted some seventy exotic plants from New York, set them in ceiling high rows between windows. Star of the collection, we think, is this department's much-traveled coconut palm!

Super-Party for Commission Wives

YESTERDAY, Commissioner Hennock staged a superparty in honor of the commissioners' wives, Mrs. Edward M. Webster, Mrs. Rosel H. Hyde, Mrs. Robert F. Jones, Mrs. George E. Sterling, Mrs. Paul A. Walker and Mrs. Wayne Coy, wife of the commission's chairman. Instead of mere cocktail sipping, Miss Hennock imported entertainment—a mindreader, Miss Washington of 1948, decked in Scottish costume to sing a Highland song, and "among all the women" the Telephone Company Choir—some 32 gents who thundered expertly everything from *Student Prince* melodies to Christmas Carols. Paul Porter mastered ceremonies with more than usual of his slyly astringent wit. And, wonder of wonders, instead of clammy canapes, only honest-to-goodness sandwiches were served. Miss H. despises appetizers—thinks them digestively ruinous!

To Meet Today

Civinette Club will meet at 8 p. m. at the home of Bette Woodruff, 4854 Chevy Chase dr., Chevy Chase, Md., to wrap Christmas gifts and food packages for needy families of Montgomery County . . . Senorita Raquel Ichazo, Bolivian delegate to the Inter-American Women's Commission, will address the **Club de Las Americas** at the meeting at 8 p. m. in the Department of Commerce Building, Room 2631. Senorita Ichazo's talk will be in Spanish and the topic will be "Recuersos Intelectuales y Naturales de Chile."

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Leaders Back Club's Plan to Fly Yule Candy to German Children

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On December 21, the Alaska Airlines Inc., will hop off to Munich with the first shipment of the 12,000 pounds of candy pledged by the United Nations Club.

More than 1000 pounds of candy bars, cocoa and chocolate have already been left at the United Nations Club and members and friends are busily wrapping it for the "airgift shipment."

The candy is consigned to the German Church Welfare Organizations in Berlin and will be distributed by the Catholic Charities, Jewish J. D. C. and Protestant Evangelinsches Hilfswerk.

Miss United Nations of 1949—Belkis Temel of Turkey—will be at the airport in Teterboro, N. J., to present boxes of candy autographed by Jean Hersholt and Margaret O'Brien of Hollywood and to bid bon voyage to "Operations Candy."

Baroness von Schoen, chairman of the airgift activities, announces that gifts of candy for this flight of "Operations Candy" will be received at the United Nations Club until the evening of December 18.

Among the patronesses are Vice Admiral and Mrs. Patrick Bellinger, Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Philip P. Fleming, Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Robert Walsh, Col. and Mrs. Anthony Drexel Biddle, Mr. and Mrs. Burton K. Wheeler, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Prochnik, Dr. and Mrs. Walter Boyd, Dr. and Mrs. Leo Brison Norris.

Also interested in "Operations Candy" are Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Frank J. McSherry. General McSherry, now retired, was among the first to enter Germany and served with the Army of Occupation in management and housing. Mrs. McSherry is actively working on the committee, using her knowledge of postwar Europe to expedite the arrival of the airgift in Berlin before Christmas.

Other sponsors: Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Bretsch, Mr. and Mrs. James Houghteling, Mr. and Mrs. George Maurice Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Lothrop Stoddard, Mrs. Theodore Babbitt, Mrs. Frederick A. Barker, Mrs. Daniel Borden, Mrs. Miles Lanier Colean, Mrs. William S. Culbertson, Mrs. Joseph R. Farrington, Mrs. Robert Overstreet, Mme. Petschek, Mrs. Ola Day Rush, Mrs. George Thorpe, Mrs. Walter Tuckerman, Mrs. Marthat Vogel and Mrs. Harold Walker.

Home for Holiday

Miss Carol Bradley, a student at Briarcliff Junior College, will join her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick M. Bradley, in Washington this week. Miss Bradley is president of the International Service Committee at Briarcliff College.

Daughters of 1812 to Hear Miss Tyler

Miss Mattie Richards Tyler will present a Christmas program of original poems before the District of Columbia Society, United States Daughters of 1812, on Friday in the national headquarters, 1461 Rhode Island ave. nw., at 3 p. m.

Miss Tyler, national poet laureate of Beta Sigmo Omicron sorority and associate editor of Blue Moon magazine, will be introduced by Mrs. Theodore H. Tiller, vice chairman of the program committee.

Prior to the program there will be a board meeting and business session. Plans will be discussed for sponsoring rehabilitation work at veteran hospitals, particularly the Naval Hospital, Bethesda, Md. Christmas gifts and contributions will be received for children attending the Caney Creek and Carr Creek Community Center Schools, located near Carr Creek, Ky. The State president, Mrs. Charles Henry Plotner, will preside at both sessions.

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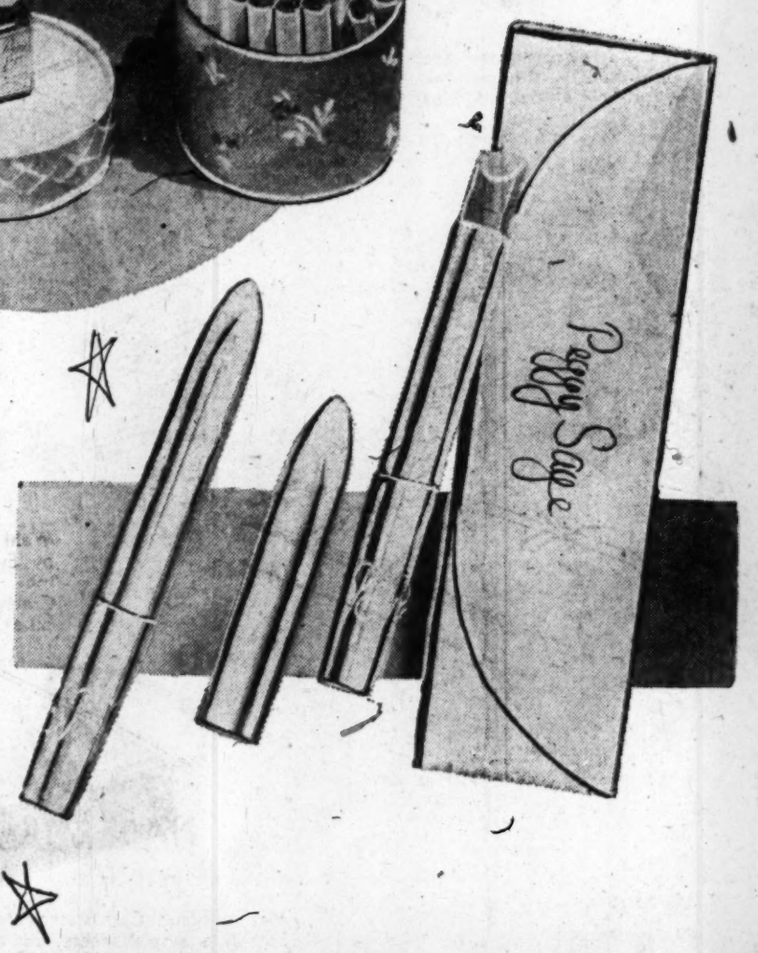

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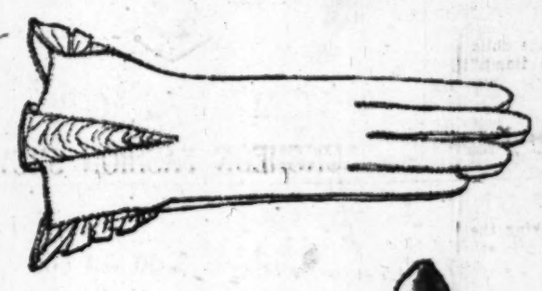

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Ida Jean Kain Says

Let Science Help You Make Dieting a Pleasure

By Ida Jean Kain

IT'S THIS dietitian's reducing philosophy that eating should be fun, particularly for the overweights who love to eat. So all dietary plans in this department are working into a pattern of meals that include a variety of foods.

Keeping the menus abundantly high in every essential, but low enough in calories to bring satisfactory weight losses, calls for scientific ingenuity—but why not let science help with weight control?

Since dairy fats must be restricted as a curb on calories, it is highly important to use other Vitamin A rich foods. There are low calorie sources, and no calorie sources in Vitamin A. Dark green leafy and yellow vegetables are rich in carotenes and low in calories.

IDA JEAN KAIN

Lettuce is not a green vegetable—but one large leaf of escarole tossed into a salad boosts the Vitamin A by almost the day's requirement, which is 5000 units. One-half cup of cooked greens, such as spinach, dandelion greens, kale or chard, furnishes more than the day's allowance, for a mere 25 calories. Yellow vegetables, such as carrots and squash, are good vitamin sources for 50 calories per average serving.

However, since not all of the potential Vitamin A value in vegetables is utilized, it is necessary to include some Vitamin A from animal sources, or to supplement the menus with a vitamin concentrate.

But let's compare the amount of Vitamin A in butter and cream with less high calories sources. Three tablespoons of butter, or 4 average squares, contain 1800 units of Vitamin A, which is about one-third the day's need, and at the same time furnish 300 calories. And a half cup of thin cream furnishes less than one-fourth the Vitamin A required for the day but boosts the calorie score over 200. Whole milk also furnishes a moderate amount of Vitamin A but at twice the calories of skim milk or buttermilk.

When you realize that a diet which contains a pint of whole milk and 3 squares of butter, an egg, orange juice and 3 vegetables not green or yellow, fails to furnish enough Vitamin A for a normal diet, it certainly would seem that the overweight who must control calories should look to other sources of the important vitamins and restrict butter or oleo to 1 tablespoon a day.

A halibut liver oil or cod liver oil concentrate furnishes all the Vitamin A required without supplying any calories. The overweight who must follow a prolonged low-calorie diet is wise to use a vitamin concentrate. And since the dark green vegetables furnish iron and other essentials to the menu, why not choose a dark green in place of pale lettuce? And have liver once a week to furnish minerals and vitamins galore.

Apply the science of nutrition to low-calorie menu planning, and dieting can be a pleasure.

Send for the "Waist Whittling Diet," enclosing long, stamped addressed envelope to Ida Jean Kain, The Washington Post, Washington 4, D. C.

"Kiss Curls" are what these parenthetical wisps framing the forehead are called. Sometimes they are termed "accroche-coeur" or heart-catcher curls, or even spit curls, but Thomas, Elizabeth Arden hair stylist who is at the Washington salon this week, likes "kiss curls" best for his creation

The brief-as-a-hiccup haircuts are often adaptable. This is the same hair style with the "kiss curls" combed into a bang. The back is brushed forward from a middle part into the sleek cap effect the stylist recommends for young and old alike.

Malicious Torment Is No Triumph

Child Who Cannot Know Facts Is An Easy Victim of Teasers

By Myrtle Meyer Eldred

Children have to learn to take teasing. It will be part of their normal experiences, and it would be folly to pretend that they could escape it. It remains for the parent to interpret teasing and minimize its importance.

People have two objects in mind when they tease. One of them is to get the better of the other person and acquire a sense of importance themselves. This results when an older person makes some preposterous statement to the child and then can laugh heartily when the gullible child believes it. Obviously, this is teasing which can be carried too far. We want children to have faith in us and not develop too suspicious an attitude.

It's well to tell children that if they can't possibly know what is truth and what is fiction they need not be upset when they discover that they have been misled. If they should have used their heads, and did not, then the teacher has a right to his triumph.

Another type of teasing is malicious. It is intended to make the child feel unhappy, not just foolish. The teaser makes remarks which the child cannot refute. The teaser says, "Your grandfather beat your grandmother," and the child can only say, "No, no, he didn't," while the teaser says, "Oh, yes, he did, he did, he did."

We may have to hunt for the roots of such desire to be mean. In the first type of teasing, the child or adult merely wants to be momentarily superior; in the second, the teaser is getting a personal pleasure out of making the child miserable. Why is this so? Because he is envious or jealous, perhaps.

The teased child may be superior in intelligence, skills or talents. He may be more popular socially. The teaser evens this up by teasing him until he bursts into frustrated tears or he gets into a fight. For the moment he has balanced the score and made this child as miserable as he is himself.

If this happens between children in the same family, the parents should be alert to discover the cause of these festering wounds. It may be that all the teaser needs is to have more loving, parental attention so that he will abandon this particular way of righting injustices to himself.

Children should be prepared for teasing and know how to accept and parry it. Not only will this make them happier, but they will be less vivid targets for the individual who is trying to punish them.

The Family Scrapbook

By Dr. Ernest G. Osborne

Is Christmas Only for the Family?

Most of us think of Christmas as essentially a family holiday—and that is as it should be. To young and old in the family, the day brings pleasures and satisfactions that are deep, largely because the family shares them together.

Children and young people, however, often feel the urge to spend some of the holiday time with their friends. This is especially true of young people of high school and college age. They love their families, to be sure, but friends mean a great deal, too.

I still remember Christmas eve when our twin girls were about 16 years old. We had assumed that we would be spending the time together, but when one of the girls' friends called and told of the things they planned to do and especially that some very interesting boys home from college would be present, our ideas of Christmas eve *en famille* didn't appeal. Yes, the family may need to share some of its members for part of the holiday.

And we can add to our family. In the community there are often people who are a long way from home. Perhaps it's a foreign student, a young serviceman, or someone else stranded in our town. Welcoming such persons to family festivities is one way of putting the spirit of the season into operation.

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FROM PAGE 1-C

Mary Haworth's Mail

he's the daddy, and about the best daddy in the world, we think, don't we (you may add). And that's how it happens Jane has three sets of grandparents—your parents, daddy's parents, and the other father's parents, the one who was too sick to work all day.

Thus related, maybe within earshot of Jim by advance arrangement, the salient facts should dawn on the child with the soothing drift of a bedtime yarn, which leaves intact the warm reality of Jim's father relationship to her, yet lightly presents, with objective kindliness, the defaulting absentee sire. This "outline of history" should neither confuse the child nor rouse misgivings about the rightness or solidarity of existing family ties.

Notice the emphasis is on Jane's emotional treasure. Keep it that way; and keep the story sketchy. Don't labor details; parry close questions, if any, with cheery vagueness. Enough said for now; so deftly switch to other favorite topics or play activities, and you will have prepared Jane for good psychological reactions to future developments in re Craig—and more exact explanations in later years. Limitations of space curtail my comments here.

M. H.

Banana and Nut Salad

A salad children especially enjoy is made from banana halves sprinkled with chopped roasted peanuts. Arrange the bananas on salad greens and add a little mild salad dressing, if you like, to the nuts.

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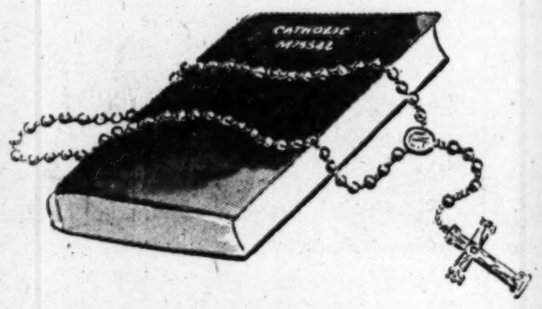

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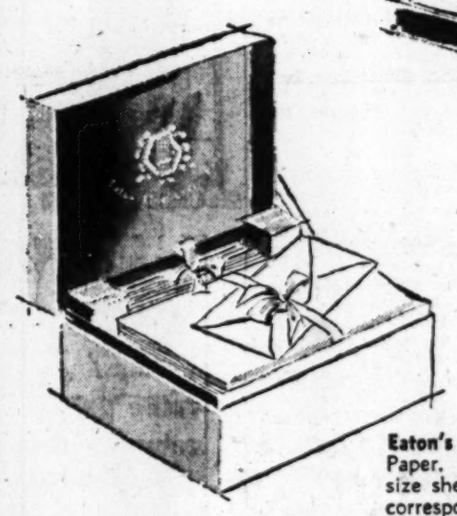

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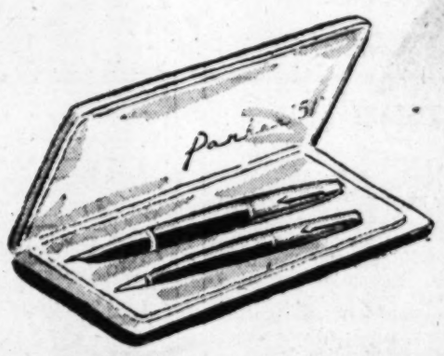

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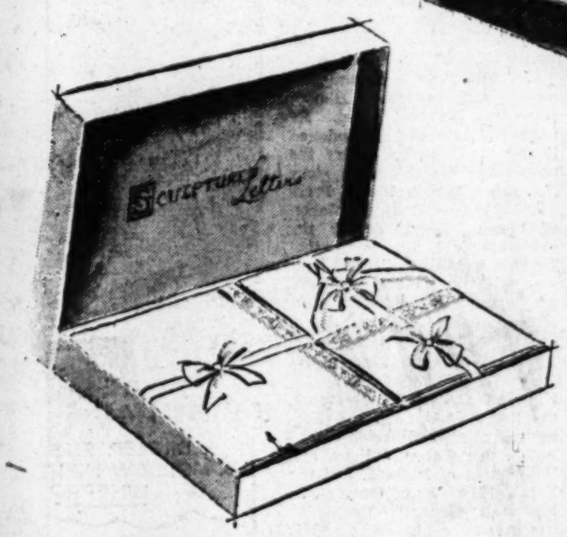

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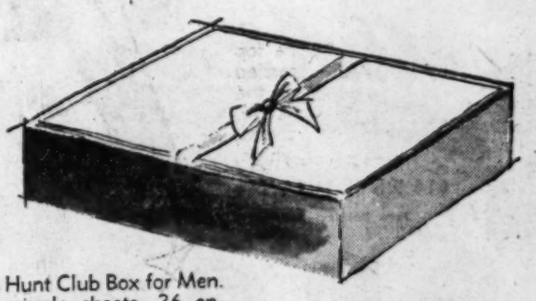

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THE DISTRICT LINE by Bill Gold

Let's Hope the 'Colonel' Is Well Plastered

Mrs. Ramsey Wood of 7410 Piney Branch rd., Takoma Park, Md., plucks the week's funniest typographical blunder from our own classified columns.

After describing its gently rolling and landscaped lawn, we offered for sale a "spacious, secluded white brick colonel."

If one were to investigate, the brick colonel would undoubtedly turn out to be a descendant of Stonewall Jackson.

PERSONAL NOTES

D. C. Cameron, P. O. Box 2227: The traffic engineer's office says there definitely is not supposed to be a 2-hour parking sign among the 1-hour signs across the street from Emergency Hospital, and they add: "Thanks for telling us about it; we'll change it right away." You've probably spoiled a good parking space for somebody.

MISCELLANY

J. A. Livingston, who writes our down-to-earth business column, adds a postscript to my recent observation that "good husbands don't grow on trees." He

quips: "True—but most wives contend that husbands should be hanging from trees—by their tails" . . . Which reminds me that the printers have been up to their usual monkey business. Virginia Lazzari of 1465 Girard st. nw., starts with us and points out that we said: "A few days later, Pantos fumbled." (Must have been a long game.) Francis Gosnell of 605½ Main st., Laurel, Md., sends in a classified ad clipping from a Baltimore paper which reveals that the man for this job "must not be afraid to work long hours, so long as he is confiscated for his efforts" . . . J. S. Davis of 1511 Franklin st. ne. lifts an eyebrow at our morning contemporary, for referring to Topeka, Kans., as a "west coast" city . . . And Franklin W. Marsh of 5711 Colorado ave. nw. wonders about the reference in one of our afternoon contemporaries to "Parkay" floors, which would be much more slippery than the usual parquet floors, I'd imargarine . . . Wouldn't it be nice if the weatherman would make up his mind?

GIVE-AWAYS

"Six nice kittens, 6 weeks old." (Emerson 8768.)

ECONOMY?

Capital Transit's recent economies, and resultant decrease in service, are indirectly causing school children to play hookey.

That conclusion comes from a man who ought to know—John Koontz, assistant principal of Kramer Junior High School. It works out like this:

Curtailed bus service makes many pupils late for their classes. And tardiness tends to foster unexcused absences.

Koontz told a recent meeting of the Kramer P-TA that it was not unusual for 150 to 200 students to be late for their classes on any given day.

He pointed out that when school children leave home too early, they take up seats and space needed for rush-hour crowds of adults. And when they leave at the right time, they often fail to arrive at school by 9 a. m. He says:

"We are at the mercy of the buses, and have asked both Capital Transit and the W. M. & A. line to put on at least one extra bus to help alleviate this situation."

So far, there's been no action. I thought I'd report the matter to you, because most of us are so preoccupied with our own gripes that we forget that the kids aren't doing very well under the new schedules, either.

Incidentally, I would be very grateful if somebody would explain to me why Washington streetcars can't be spaced at reasonable intervals, as they are in other major cities.

I am not a schedule expert; I know nothing about running a public transportation system. So I can't deny that it is undoubtedly a complicated job.

But I do know that in no other city is it customary to wait 20 minutes or more for your car and then have four of the blasted things show up in a line, like elephants in a circus parade.

OLD-BUT-STILL-GOOD DEPT.

I picked up this gag in the District Building the other day. It's probably as old as its characters, but still funny.

The temperance society heard that a 90-year-old man, who lay on his deathbed, had never touched liquor. So officials of the society rushed out to get a testimonial.

The old man barely mustered enough strength to dictate a statement regarding his abstemious habits, and was scratching his signature to it when a terrible racket broke loose downstairs.

"Goodness," exclaimed a member of the society. "Who's causing all that commotion?" The old man lay back on his pillow and sighed:

"I reckon that's Pappy—drunk again."

Leonard Lyons . . .

NEW YORK—Eugene O'Neill finally has licked the illness which made his hands tremble and which prevented him from writing. He's ready to start a new play, and as proof of his regained health O'Neill has written manuscripts 2000 words long in handwriting which reveal no tremor . . . Two royal princes—Alexander of Yugoslavia and the Prince of Kashmir—stood in line to see Santa Claus at Macy's last week . . . Ed Gardner of "Duffy's Tavern" knows a midget who claims he was in the Army. "I got in," said the midget, "by lying about my height."

William Shirer, the commentator and author of "Berlin Diary," is writing his first novel. He started it as a play, abandoned it and then decided to try the novel-form for the same story . . . When the Associated Press asked Senator Brien McMahon of Conn., "When, during the campaign, did you learn that Truman would win?" The Senator replied: "Please don't add me to your list of liars?"

The most imposing Christmas gift list is Thomas J. Watson's. He has ordered food-parcels from Bloomingdale's for the King and Queen of Denmark, the Kings of Sweden and Norway, all the Scandinavian Crown Princesses, Queen Juliana and Wilhelmina of Holland, and the Foreign Minister of Greece . . . Postmaster-General Donaldson has become a philatelist and is accumulating a prized collection . . . When Eleanor Roosevelt arrived from France Sunday night, Elliott Roosevelt was at the airport, drove her to her apartment and on the way home showed her the Waverly pl. lot where he'll sell his Xmas trees.

Because Producer Leland Hayward had so much trouble in the out-of-town tryouts of "Anne of the Thousand Days," Russel Crouse's opening-night wire to him read: "It only *seemed* like a thousand days."

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THE SAINT

YOU MEAN... HE'S DEAD?
I'M AFRAID HE'LL NEVER BE ANY DEADER... HIS GUN WENT OFF WHEN HE HIT THE FLOOR AND CAUGHT HIM WHERE IT WOULD DO THE MOST DAMAGE.
POOR BURTON! HE ALWAYS SEEMED SO NICE!
HE ALSO TALKED LIKE A GANGSTER WHEN HE DIDN'T THINK WE WERE LISTENING... AND HE SHOT PEARSON IN COLD BLOOD. THE NICEST THING HE COULD DO NOW WOULD BE TO HAVE SOMETHING ON HIM THAT WOULD GIVE US A LEAD ON BIG TONY.
BIG TONY? WHO'S HE?
HE'S ONE GUY, I THINK, WHO CAN TELL US WHY YOU'RE THE "MYSTERY DEBUTANTE"... AND I HOPE HIS NAME IS IN THE BOOK!
12-16

MARY WORTH

HERE I AM, MR. STANWOOD! ··WITH MY PORTABLE PLOT MACHINE··ALL READY TO CREATE UNDYING LITERATURE RIGHT HERE ON LOCATION!
WHO SENT YOU OVER HERE, MISS BRICKER?
ALL I KNOW IS WHAT I READ ON THE ASSIGNMENT SHEET! MY NAME WAS THERE! AND I'M HERE··· READY TO DO-OR-DIALOGUE FOR DEAR OLD "MR. CRUSOE, JR!"
THOSE BUNGLERS IN THE OFFICE!·· DON'T THEY KNOW WE'RE SHOOTING NOTHING BUT SILENT SEQUENCES NOW?··I NEED ADDITIONAL DIALOGUE LIKE I NEED A FRACTURED SKULL!
SHALL I SWIM BACK TO THE MAINLAND?
NO··AS LONG AS YOU'RE HERE, STICK AROUND! GO DOWN TO THE BEACH AND DIG CLAMS, OR SOMETHING! I'LL BELLOW IF I NEED YOU!
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12-16

STEVE CANYON

CHEETAH! WHAT HAPPENED? WHERE'S MISS FANCY? WHERE AM I?
I THREW ROCK AT YOUR REDHEADER—SHE DUCK, AN' EET HEET YOU! SHE GOT SCARED AN' RAN AWAY!
I CAN'T IMAGINE MISS FANCY DOING THAT... BUT WHAT PLACE IS THIS?
JUS' BEFORE WE MET REDHEADER, CHEETAH TELL OF BEING PUT OUT OF ROOMS TODAY...
MILTON CANIFF
THEES EES NEW PLACE!
YOUR PLACE? —THEN I'D BETTER CALL A TAXI AND--
...OH! MY MONEY'S GONE!
YES—YOU WERE SLEEP SO PEACEFUL—WAS BIG SHAME TO WAKE—SO CHEETAH ACCEPTED LOAN FROM YOUR POCKET!

JOE PALOOKA

UH-S'CUSE ME, JOE... I WANTID T'SAY G'BYE. I WISH YOU ALL KINDSA GOOD LUCK, MY DEAR FREN.
WHY, HUMPHREY... I DIDN'T KNOW YOU WERE GOING SO SOON. THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR COMING AND PLEASE GIVE MY BEST TO YOUR SISTER.
I'M GLAD HE DIDN'T AST NO QUESTIONS... I MIGHTA GIVE IT AWAY, HUH?
YER RIGHT. NOW WE GOTTA FIND A HIDEWAY. SADDLE UP YER THINGA-MABOB AN' LES' GO. WE'RE LEAVIN' TOWN.
WHERE'S JERRY?
HE DECIDED T'TAKE A RIDE WITH HUMPREY IN TH' WHATCHACALLIT AN' SAID HE'LL BE BACK FER TH' FIGHT.
TIME
BEN FISHER

MICKEY FINN

AND SHE SAID TO HAVE HIM CALL GIGGLEHEIMER AS SOON AS HE COMES IN, MICKEY!
GEE-MAYBE MR. GIGGLEHEIMER HAS — GET MY HOME, DELANEY! UNCLE PHIL MAY STILL BE THERE!
AND UNCLE PHIL—IF HE WANTS TO BACK OUT OF IT—FOR SOME REASON—PLEASE DON'T GET SORE!
OKAY, MICHAEL! I'LL CALL HIM RIGHT AWAY!
YES, SHERIFF! MR. GIGGLEHEIMER WOULD LIKE TO SEE YOU IMMEDIATELY!
T-TELL HIM-I'LL BE RIGHT OVER!
GIGGLEHEIMER'S BREWERY!
RIGHT!
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PENNY

YOU'LL SIMPLY HAVE TO PAY MORE ATTENTION TO YOUR HOMEWORK, PENNY.
YOU HAVE THIS PROBLEM ALL WRONG.
HEAVENS, CAN'T YOU EVEN DO ADDITION CORRECTLY?
OF COURSE, MISS DIGIT.
BUT I SIMPLY DON'T BELIEVE IN BEING A FANATIC ABOUT IT.
HAENIGSEN

DOTTY

I'D LIKE TO GET THIS GIFT-WRAPPED, PLEASE!
OKAY!
IT'S FOR MY WIFE--AND I WANT IT DONE IN YOUR FANCIEST PAPER, WIDE RIBBON AND--
YES-- I KNOW HOW!
MAKE THE BOW BIG AND FLUFFY--LOTS OF STICKERS AND---
MERRY CHRISTMAS
I'VE WRAPPED 478 PACKAGES TODAY, MISTER-- AND I DON'T NEED ANY INSTRUCTIONS!
BUFORD TUBB
12-16

MARK TRAIL

A DINNER ENGAGEMENT TOMORROW NIGHT, CHERRY... WHERE?
WE'RE EATING WILD BOAR WITH LEM MORGAN AND HIS WIFE, MARK!
ED DODD 12-16
MEANWHILE
I THOUGHT YOU KNEW, MR. TOWNE... YOUR SON WENT TO TENNESSEE WITH MR. TRAIL... ON A BOAR HUNT!
ON A BOAR HUNT?!

REX MORGAN, M. D.

YOU SAY YOU HAVE BEEN HAVING HEADACHES, MISS FORREST? ARE THEY LOCALIZED TO ANY PARTICULAR AREA?
THEY'RE AWFUL, DR. MORGAN! MY WHOLE HEAD FEELS LIKE LITTLE MEN WITH HAMMERS WERE USING IT FOR A GONG!
DO YOU HAVE ANY OTHER SYMPTOMS?
MM...LET ME SEE...
SAY, WHAT ARE YOU GOING TO DO?
I'M ONLY GOING TO TEST SOME REFLEXES!
ISN'T THAT TO SEE IF I'M CRAZY?
THAT'S A POPULAR MISCONCEPTION, MISS FORREST! THE PATELLAR REFLEX HAS NOTHING TO DO WITH INSANITY!
I SURE GET A KICK OUTA YOU, DOC...IN MORE WAYS THAN ONE!

TERRY AND THE PIRATES

12/16
Y' KNOW, KID, IT'S YOUNG HUSTLERS LIKE YOU WHO KEEP US OLD GAFFERS ON OUR TOES.
IXNAY THE BUSH-BEATING, FATTY. SINCE WE'RE SHY ON WITNESSES, I'LL ADMIT I SWIPED A LIL BITTY OL' LETTER.
HA! THAT "LIL BITTY OL' LETTER" IS THE ONE VALENTINE WROTE TO SEND TO THE REBEL BRASS HATS IN CASE YOUR OLD MAN DECIDED TO PLAY BALL.
SMART GUY, HUH? HOW COME YOU DIDN'T SING TO POP?
RELAX, SQUIRT; CHOPS IS A BUM TENOR — BUT IF YOU'RE WORKING THE ANGLE I FIGURE YOU ARE — I'M BUYING IN!
12-16

STEVE ROPER

THAT'S RIGHT, MR. ROPER! THERE IS A BOONE COUNTY IN EACH OF THESE STATES: ARKANSAS, ILLINOIS, INDIANA, IOWA, KENTUCKY, MISSOURI, NEBRASKA AND WEST VIRGINIA!
WOW! OL' DANIEL REALLY GOT AROUND, DIDN'T HE, SMITTY?... OKAY! FIND ONE THAT HAS...OR DID HAVE...A JUDGE JOHN J. HOOK IN IT!
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Meanwhile
MAKE-UP
YES, DOC!
THE POLICE WOULD PUT THE ARM ON YOU THE MINUTE YOU SHOWED THAT RUM-BLOSSOM NOSE ON THE STREET, WRIGLEY!...SO I'M GOING TO MAKE A NEW MAN OF YOU!
THERE! YOUR OWN BROTHER WOULDN'T KNOW YOU!...NOW, WHAT ARE YOU GOING TO DO?
...FIND STEVE ROPER ...FOLLOW ...HIM... AND...WIPE ...HIM...OUT!!
30 Minutes Later

DIXIE DUGAN

DIXIE AND BILL HAVE BEEN TRAPPED IN THE OLD BARN THE REST OF THE NIGHT
SPAT!
WAKE UP—IT'S DAYLIGHT
YEAH—AND LOTS OF IT
WE'LL HAVE PLENTY OF LIGHT NOW TO SEE HOW WE CAN GET OUT OF HERE
DIXIE—LOOK—YOUR HORSE!
HUH?!

MYRTLE

I DON'T WANT TO GO TO BED!
NOW SHUT YOUR EYES AND SAIL AWAY TO DREAMLAND.
I DON'T WANT TO GO TO DREAM-LAND.
BUT YOU ALWAYS HAVE SUCH BEAUTIFUL DREAMS
NOT TONIGHT, I WON'T!
I SAW THE PREVIEW LAST NIGHT, AND IT WAS PUNK!

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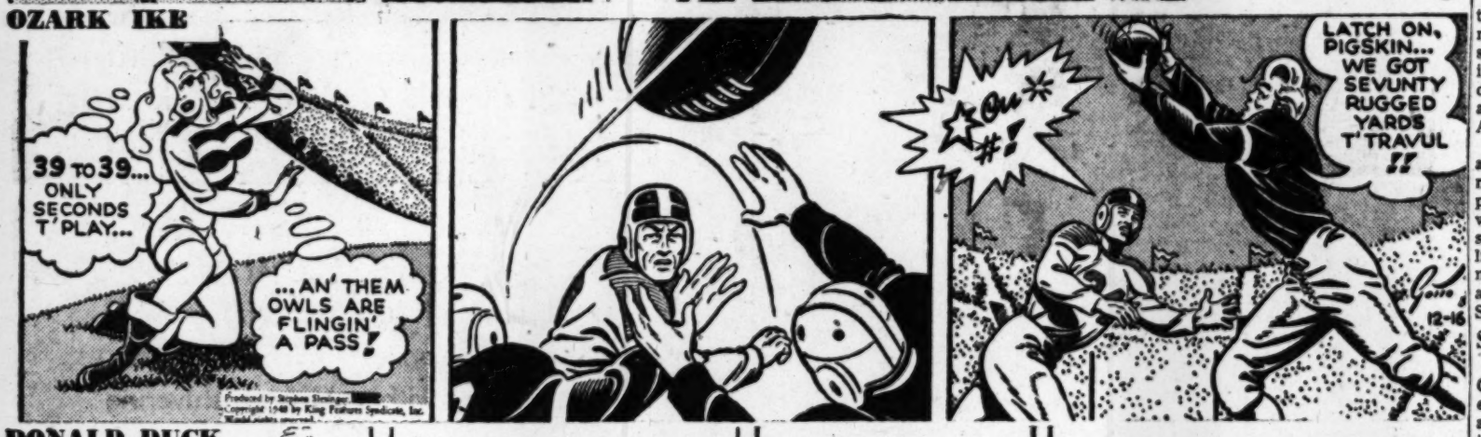

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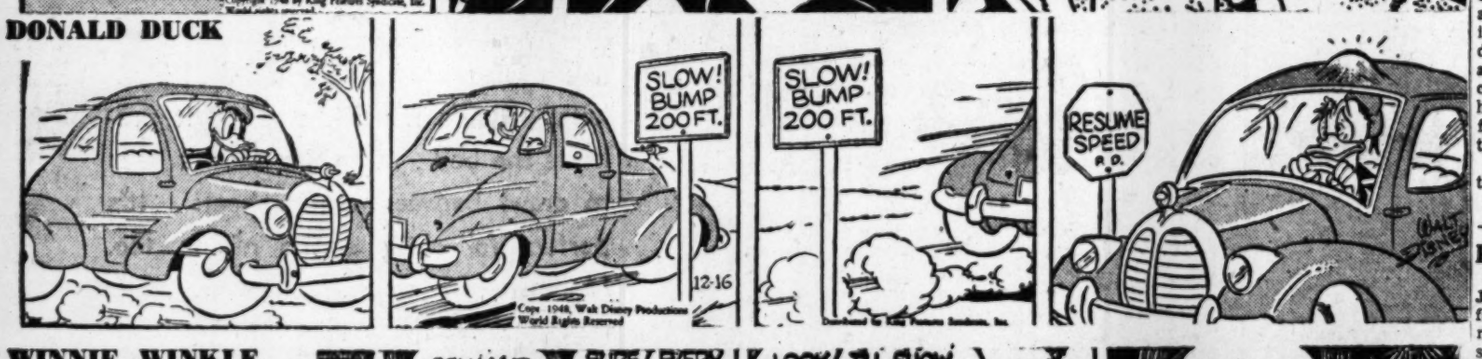

WINNIE WINKLE

WH-WHO ARE YOU?
DON'T BE FRIGHTENED, KIDS—I'M ELMER, TH' ELF—I'M CARETAKER OF THIS CHRISTMAS TREE!
GOLLY! IS THIS TREE YOUR HOUSE?
SURE! EVERY CHRISTMAS TREE HAS AN ELF LIVIN' IN IT!
LOOK! I'LL SHOW YA— HEY, LOOIE! MAXIE! MICKEY! DAVEY! MARTY!
SEE! HERE THEY ARE!

Barnaby

This O'Malley, now. Fat? Pink wings? Smokes cigars? Big talker? Pretends to be in the Fairy Godfather game—
He IS my Fairy Godfather—
That's him. He disappeared in 1902 after selling the Brooklyn Bridge to a greenhorn Leprechaun. Illegally! There was no such bridge in 1902. So I've been on his trail—
But he only disappeared last week—
Up to his old tricks, is he? Well, it may take another 46 years but I'll apprehend him. Crime doesn't pay, you see—
But—

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The Washington Merry-Go-Round

Harry Gave Tom a Housing Tip

By Drew Pearson

Grover Whalen, New York's famous and popular greeter, is sole witness to the only conversation between President Truman and Governor Dewey during the recent campaign.

WHALEN

It occurred at the opening of Idlewild Airport last June, when Whalen introduced Truman to Dewey. On this occasion Truman made one of his proverbial off-the-cuff remarks.

"Governor," he said, "what do you want to get into the White House for? There's nothing there but trouble."

Mundt for New Rules

Senator-elect Karl Mundt of South Dakota has more prestige and commonsense than any other member of the House Un-American Activities Committee. Unlike some of his colleagues he knows the difference between right and wrong.

Writing to a South Dakota constituent about the knockdown, dragout tactics of the committee, Mundt frankly admitted:

"I agree with you about the procedural methods of the House Committee on Un-American Activities. For your information, Congressman Nixon of California and I have been working for some weeks on a new set of rules to govern the procedure of our committee. Just as soon as Chairman Thomas is back, we expect to have the Committee approve these procedures.

"Thomas," continued Mundt, "is a hard fellow to control, as he is a bit of a publicity seeker, and is also of a highly impetuous nature.

"While he usually has the facts pretty well in hand before he speaks up in public, still I do not like his method of making a public statement about an individual until he has had the opportunity to be heard before the Committee. I feel certain that the abuses of which you rightfully complain are going to be corrected within the next two or three weeks."

Mundt in Grandstand

Not merely three weeks, but nearly twelve months have passed since that letter was written. In the interim, Parnell Thomas has been relegated to the sidelines, and here's what's been happening under the two Congressmen—Mundt and Nixon — who did not approve Thomas's "publicity-seeking."

It was on November 19 that the Baltimore attorneys for Hiss and Chambers called the Justice Department and revealed that secret State Department documents had turned up in the Hiss-Chambers slander suit. Hard-working Alex Campbell, Assitant Attorney General, went to Baltimore that same day.

It was 11 days later, December 1, that alert Robert Stripling, attorney for the Un-American Activities Committee, first heard about the secret papers. He has since admitted that he learned about them through an item by Jerry Kluttz in *The Washington Post*.

Immediately he telephoned Whittaker Chambers, the former Communist agent, and asked him to stop in when he was next in Washington. Chambers, an old friend, did so, and promised to get some additional documents for the Un-American Activities Committee.

This was done via the pumpkin at the Chambers farm in Westminster, Md. It looks now that placing the microfilm in a pumpkin was nothing more than a clever scheme to hit the newspaper headlines. Because the microfilm was not placed in the pumpkin until after the conversation between Stripling and Chambers took place.

Some Film Ruined

After the Un-American Activities Committee got the microfilm, however, it lost two rolls—because of amateur bungling. Instead of sending the film to the FBI to be developed, the committee was so anxious to keep its pumpkin-discovery out of Justice Department hands that it sent the film to a friend in the Veterans Administration.

There two rolls were exposed to the light and are now worthless.

Meanwhile, D. M. Ladd, assistant FBI director, went up to the Un-American Activities Committee and asked that the microfilm be turned over to him. Assistant Attorney General Campbell made the same request. So did Attorney General Tom Clark. No result for one whole week. Finally, the non-publicity-seeking Mundt and Nixon yielded.

Another backstage move which the public didn't know about occurred when the committee called former State Department Official Henry J. Wadleigh. During an hour or so of grilling, Wadleigh refused to say anything. Previously and secretly, however, he had told his story to Alex Campbell.

Campbell had asked him not to testify before the committee because of Section 3486, Title 18 of the United States Code, which states, "No testimony given by a witness before either House, or before any committee of either House . . . shall be used as evidence in any court."

Campbell has also warned the Un-American Activities Committee officially and by formal letter that testimony by witnesses before it might prevent the Justice Department from using this evidence later in criminal prosecution.

However, the nonpublicity-seeking Mundt and Nixon have continued their frantic search for the headlines just the same.

Merry-Go-Round

Despite reports, Margaret Truman is planning no concert appearances in Europe . . . The men who will revive the old Philadelphia Record are: Matt McCloskey, building contractor; Arthur Greenfield, real estate man; John B. Kelly, former Olympic champion and former chairman of the Philadelphia Democratic County Committee; Luther Harr, city treasurer; Isadore Ostroff and Stanley Wohl. Former Governor Cox of Ohio and John Knight of the Knight Newspapers, also bid for the Record but lost . . . Bootlegging is on the upsurge again, and Internal Revenue agents have redoubled their drive against it. Moonshiners are 50 per cent more active this year than in 1947.

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French Traitor Executed

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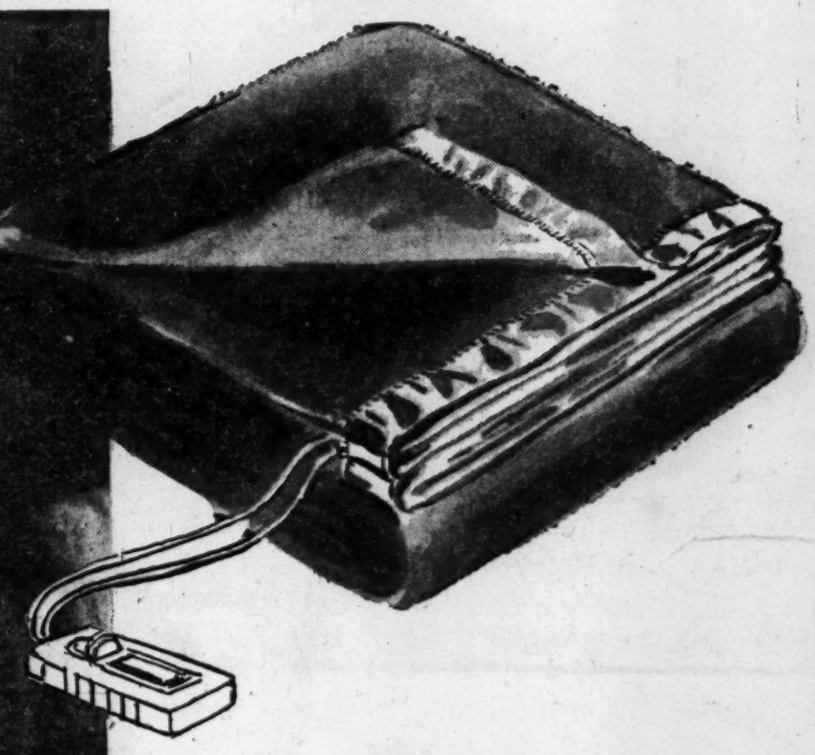

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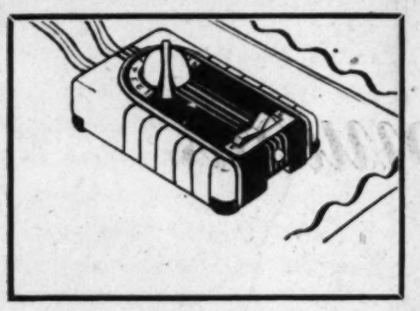

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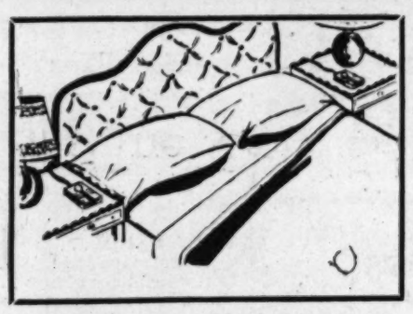

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